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The checks of Edmonston, when paid, will not bear interest, so there was really no good reason why he should have kept them as long as he did, it is explained.

SUFFS TO AID LIBERTY LOAN.

Will Aid Uncle Sam in Advertising and Placing Bonds.

In response to the request of the Liberty Loan Committee of the Second Federal Reserve Banks, the New York State Suffrage Party at a meeting of the State Board held at 303 Fifth avenue, yesterday afternoon voted to offer the help of the state suffage organization in advertising and placing the Liberty Loan for this district. In this offer is included the use of the state headquarters and the various headquarters in the assembly districts throughout the state wherever practicable and also the co-operation of the speakers' bureau of the suffrage party.

MAY CLOSE HOSPITAL.

Catskill Institution Operated by Two Kingston Young Women.

That the Catskill Hospital, which has been maintained on Broome street for several years by the Misses Woerner and Corrigan, of Kingston, is likely to be closed this fall unless it is sold or taken up by some organization in the village, was the substance of information given the Chamber of Commerce Monday evening by President Austin. Sentiment at the meeting favored a continuance of the institution with possibly a village appropriation aiding its maintenance.—Catskill Mail.

Motor Trucks at Leeds Mills.

Manufacture of motor trucks is proposed for the old Leeds Mills which may be reopened this summer by new owners. A bond issue may be floated of which Catskill people will be asked to take a portion.

GERMAN PRESS IS DIVIDED IN VIEWS

Chancellor's Failure to State Peace Terms Disappoints Socialists—Talk of Peace and War Aims Thought to be Staved Off.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Berlin, May 16.—The refusal of Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the chancellor, to outline Germany's peace terms to the Reichstag was both attacked and praised by German newspapers today.

Radical newspapers representing the extremist group of Socialists expressed the fear that the chances of a separate peace with Russia had been retarded by the attitude of the chancellor, despite his veiled overture.

In fact, so keen was the disappointment of the radical Socialists that a demonstration was planned for tonight to protest against the speech. That the government was anxious over the situation was shown by the extra military precautions that were taken.

The chancellor's speech was extremely vigorous and it was evident that he as well as the kaiser and the high command of the German armies look at the military situation on all fronts in a favorable light.

As the chancellor spoke he wore the uniform of a staff officer and his face showed red tan as though he had been spending much time in the open. His voice was harsh with suppressed emotion as he repeatedly shook a warning finger at the groups that had been attacking him—the Radical Socialists and the Radical Conservatives.

It is felt that all talk of peace and war aims in the Reichstag has been quieted for a long time, perhaps until the autumn. At the same time it is believed that the political position of the chancellor has been strengthened despite the renewal of attacks against him by certain newspapers today.

The attitude of the ruling group in Germany as expressed by Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, is this:

"Despite the growing number of her enemies, Germany can fight on indefinitely, encouraged by the situation in Russia and the fact that the allies are paying for gains on the western front with enormous losses of life. The part the United States is playing in the war is given little consideration at this time although it may cause anxiety later. The expression of war aims would have been interpreted in the allied countries probably as a sign of weakness on the part of Germany—consequently Germany is silent. Good results are being attained from the ruthless submarine war as is attested by the expressions of anxiety in the British press."

IT WAS BOOZE DAY IN COURT

Ostrander Schoonmaker Had Been Drinking But Was Positive He Was Perfectly Sober—Mr. Van DeBogart Was a Dry Town Man.

Ostrander Schoonmaker, 69 years old, who has been on "a tear" for the past week, was picked up this morning by Officer Boyd and brought to the city hall and arraigned before Recorder Lang on a charge of public intoxication.

"I am not drunk, your honor," said Mr. Schoonmaker, swaying unsteadily on his legs, "but I will say that I have been drinking. I use it just as a tonic for my stomach."

"I can see you are perfectly sober," said the court, sarcastically, "and I'll sentence you to three days in jail to recuperate."

William Van DeBogart of Mt. Pleasant, which is located in a dry town, came to Kingston on Tuesday to purchase a pair of shoes. He made the purchase and then as trading made him dry he wandered into a saloon lugging his purchase under his arms and proceeded to prove that even if he was a dry town man he still had a desire to taste joy water.

He was picked up later by Officer Kuehn, who found William hanging onto an electric pole, and this morning was arraigned before Recorder Lang and said that he wanted to always tell the truth and must acknowledge that he was drunk.

"Did you buy the pair of shoes you came to town for?" queried the court.

"Yes, your honor," replied William, "but I don't know what I did with them."

William was relieved to learn that the police had his shoes safe in police headquarters and the court gave him until noon to get back to his farm.

OPENS MEMORIAL DAY.

New Summer Resort Near Rifton Offers Many Attractions.

The Grand View Inn at Rifton will open for the season on Decoration Day and will be in charge of Nathan Hahn, formerly with Hotel Imperial, 32nd street and Broadway, New York city, and at present connected with the New York Central restaurant at the Grand Central Station in that city. It is planned to have dancing every Saturday afternoon and evening as soon as the Inn opens. The proprietors of the Inn have decided to present to the government all of the land that can be used for cultivation for garden purposes.

SPECULATORS ARE HELD RESPONSIBLE

Food Prices Due to Corners for Most Part, According to Federal Evidence—Food and Speeding Up War Work Problems for President.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—How to speed up the war work and best solve the food problem were two questions very seriously troubling President Wilson today. Both have been becoming more and more pressing daily and both are to be made the subject of cabinet consideration on Friday.

The food question already has been put up to congress but the president has been told that the leaders are far from being in accord on the subject. They say that the situation is by no means as desperate as the president has been led to believe. And they declare that it will be impossible to secure enough votes to pass any measure which will create a food dictator or allow the fixing of maximum prices unless the president personally demands it.

It has been suggested to the president that he address congress on the subject. He has this under consideration but it is not believed that he will do so at present. The one thing that the administration feels confident congress willingly will do will be the passage of laws which will make it possible to control the food speculators.

There is a mass of evidence now in the hands of the attorney-general and of the agricultural department which proves conclusively that the present high range of prices is due for most part to the fact that speculators have the food market cornered. The big storage warehouses are jammed to the limit with supplies which under ordinary circumstances would be on the market. They are being held for still higher prices. Officials say that if congress will immediately pass legislation which will give the government control of the situation these goods will be dumped on the market and prices in many instances must be cut in half.

On the speeding up of the war program there are many things which are troubling the administration. It is violating no secret to say that certain phases of the war work are more than two months behind. In certain instances this is due to the multiplicity of persons who are responsible. Central control is very greatly needed and the need is becoming more and more apparent. Secretary of the Navy Daniels has in person appealed to the senate and house leaders to speed his legislation and this will be done.

Many early mistakes must now be corrected. Officials express the deepest regret that the navy department did not accept an offer made by Charles M. Schwab some months ago. He came to Washington and offered to build standard destroyers of the latest type, to have the first two ready for service by July 1, and thereafter to turn two over a week to the government. The secretary did not at that time see the need and the offer was rejected. Now destroyers are very badly needed and it is admitted the rejection of the offer was a bad mistake. This is a sample of a number of mistakes that have been made and officials declare that they must continue to be made until a new plan of centralized authority can be devised.

OPENING GAINS QUICKLY LOST

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, May 16.—There was a little accumulation of outside buying orders at the opening of the stock market today and a number of issues then made moderate gains. This demand, however, was quickly supplied and before the end of the first fifteen minutes a reaction was in order which quickly reduced many of the opening gains. Steel Common advanced ⅝ to 117⅛ and was actively traded in for a time, at and above 117. Industrial Alcohol advanced 1⅛ to 126⅜, followed by a reaction to 125½. Marine Preferred advanced ⅝ to 79¼, from which it reacted to 78⅞. Crucible Steel moved up ⅞ to 66¾ and then reacted to 66¼. The copper stocks were steady in the initial trading, but later Utah yielded ⅛ to 112⅛. Bethlehem Steel G advanced ⅞ to 123½.

Seek Soldier's Daughter.

Ellen Horan, also known as Helen Horan, a daughter of Thomas Horan, a member of the Sixty-ninth Regiment, New York Infantry, who was killed in the battle of Fair Oaks, Virginia, on July 1, 1862, is being sought by pension examiners as she has a considerable sum of pension money awaiting her. The girl was last heard of in Newburgh, where she was a member of the family of George W. Couch in 1863.

Youthful Auto Thieves.

Three youths, members of a gang of automobile thieves who have been staging robberies in Poughkeepsie for the past month or more, were arrested Monday night and confessions of the theft of five automobiles were obtained. The arrested youths are Kenneth DuBois, Philip Senk and Emmet Losee.

AMERICA DOES NOT FEEL "WAR THROB"

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—America is not really in the war.

Officials of both England and France who are in the national capital, as well as other allied diplomatic representatives, frankly say that the mass of the population of the United States does not actually know the "war throb."

While officials have only the highest praise for the activity of the administration in its preparations to throw the entire resources of the nation into the European conflict, and while they laud the patriotism of the citizens of the United States, still they state that America can never arouse itself to its true war pitch until it has felt the actual pangs of war.

They point to their own countries as examples of what happened during the early days of the war, when everyone was patriotic and gave much "lip service," as one envoy has put it, but it took months before the mass population became aroused to the point of highest sacrifice.

Sacrifice, the foreign representatives say, is the keynote of the war. When the peoples of a country are aroused to such a state that they will give up their ideals, their convictions, as well as their physical comforts then they are truly in the war.

"We have found in this war," one allied representative said today, "that it is not hard for men to toss their lives away on the field of battle for a great cause. But when men toss their convictions and their ideals aside, at home, for a great cause, with no accompanying excitement of battle and none of the glory of military sacrifice, then they are truly in the war, and taking an active part."

"It is these sacrifices which make a people a war people."

100 MILES OF FORTIFICATION

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

London, May 16.—Stretching from Lens for one hundred miles or more all France is one solid fortification. The Germans, with characteristic forethought, have fortified every building, turning factories, mines, stone quarries and even the cemeteries into fortresses. Farm houses have been transformed into blockhouses bristling with machine guns. All these fortified works are linked up with trenches and at some points enormous dugouts have been constructed big enough to hold 1,000 men.

In the fighting about Roeux the British had to overcome German garrisons that had fortified a chemical works and a cemetery. The grave stones were used as defensive works and caverns had been dug, in many places exposing bones that had reposed in peace for scores of years.

A favorite form of defensive material with German officers is windmills and water towers. These afford not only fortifications but excellent observation posts.

Hard fighting all along the British front continues with Field Marshall Haig "nibbling" at the German line rather than attempting to smash his way through with a direct frontal attack over a wide front.

There were violent actions around Bullecourt where the British menace to the Hindenburg line is now the most serious of all.

HOWARD RAN AWAY.

Middletown Boy Picked up by Sergeant Hanley.

Tuesday police headquarters received a request from Middletown to pick up one Howard Talmadge, 13 years old, who had ran away. Sergeant Hanley found him aboard an O. & W. train that afternoon and brought him to the city hall. It developed that Howard had been committed to an institution at Thiels, N. Y., and had escaped from the attendant. This morning Recorder Lang decided to hold him until Sergeant Hanley could communicate with the proper authorities. Howard was poorly dressed, wearing shoes but no stockings and was also minus a shirt.

Guard to Mobilize in June.

While no official confirmation can be obtained from the military authorities, it is regarded as more than likely that the mobilization of New York's National Guard at Camp Whitman, ordered for this week, will necessarily have to be postponed until some time in June. Inability of the war department to furnish sufficient equipment has made the postponement necessary. Word from Washington is to the effect that the existing National Guard organizations in this state not already in federal service will be mustered into Uncle Sam's service not later than June 15. This will mean that about 19,000 of the state's quota of 25,000 National Guardsmen will be called upon to take the federal oath.

Motored to New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Murphy and son, Andrew, Jr., motored to New York city this morning. They are expected back Thursday evening.

A STRANGLE-HOLD UPON BULLECOURT

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

London, May 16.—The British strangle-hold on the hotly contested village of Bullecourt has been strengthened by the fighting of the past twenty-four hours, the war office announced today in its report on operations east of Arras.

Violent fighting is again in progress north of the Scarpe river.

In the sector of Roeux, which the British captured on Sunday, direct assault and counter-attack have followed each other repeatedly while the artillery on both sides pounds away without cessation.

The text of the official report follows:

"The fighting Tuesday in the western part of Bullecourt resulted to our advantage.

"A few prisoners were captured on the Hindenburg line, east of Bullecourt.

"There is severe fighting in progress north of the Scarpe river."

C. E. CONVENTION OPENS NEXT WEEK

The Twenty-Fifth Annual Convention of the Ulster County Christian Endeavor Union at Wallkill, May 21 and 22—Fine Program.

The twenty-fifth annual convention of the Ulster County Christian Endeavor Union will open on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Reformed Church at Wallkill, and a fine program has been arranged for the two days' session.

It is expected that Kingston will be represented and that every C. E. Society in the city will have one or more delegates at the sessions. The official program follows:

Monday Afternoon.

4:00—Songs of Conquest, led by Rev. R. P. Ingersoll, Saugerties.

4:15—Regimental Worship, Rev. G. DeMotts, Wallkill.

4:30—Address, "The Future Endeavorer," Mrs. Jas. L. Brydie, New York city.

4:45—Conference on Junior Work Mrs. Brydie.

5:15—Junior Drill and Exercises.

5:30—Break Ranks.

Monday Evening.

7:15—Prelude, Orchestra, "Tonepoem," by Roberts.

Vesper Service, Rev. Geo. Scoulton, New Hurley.

Solo, Rev. R. P. Ingersoll.

7:30—We R Glad U R Here, Edward Mastin, president, Wallkill society.

So R We, Rev. George Hamilton Scofield, Ph. D., president County Union.

Anthem, "O, Savior of the World," by Goss.

7:45—Quilting Party, Dr. E. K. Lee, Kingston.

8:15—Orders of the Day, and War Tax.

Offertory Solo by Miss Lillian Mentz.

8:30—Address, Rev. F. G. Coffin, D. D., of Albany, commander of New York C. E. Army.

Anthem, "Kipling's Recessional," by DeKoven.

Taps.

Tuesday Morning.

8:00—Patriotic Preparedness Parade through Wallkill.

9:00—Quiet Hour in charge of Mrs. Geo. Roosa, Wallkill.

9:15—Report of District Secretary, Luther S. Decker, Kingston.

Report of County Treasurer, Miss Ida Burnett, Saugerties.

Roll Call of Societies, Miss Minnie Swart, Kingston.

Reports of Committees.

Election of Officers.

Unfinished Business.

10:15—Dollar Pie, Rev. A. S. Cole, Kingston.

10:30—Greetings from the Sunrise Kingdom, Rev. Lumar R. Shaefer, St. Remy.

10:00—School of Methods, Rev. Herbert Jones, Saugerties.

11:30—Tenth Legion, Field Secretary Harold A. Waite.

12:00—A Visit to Commissary Department.

Tuesday Afternoon.

1:00—Open Air Service.

1:30—Devotions, Rev. R. P. Ingersoll.

1:45—Hot Shots at the Enemy, by W. W. Brady, Jr.

2:15—Graduation of Experts and Presentation of Awards.

2:30—Conference and Address, Harold A. Waite, field officer, New York C. E. Army.

3:30—Shoulder Arms.

At Kingston City Hospital.

James Hungerford, who was injured in the north yard of the West Shore railroad on Tuesday afternoon, was later removed to the Kingston City Hospital in the ambulance.

Simon Lyons was conveyed from the Eagle Hotel to the Kingston City Hospital Tuesday afternoon in the ambulance.

Off to Madison Barracks.

Ray Thompson left Sunday for Madison Barracks where he will join the officers' training school. Mr. Thompson already holds a commission in the officers' reserve corps, having had two years training at the United State Military Academy at West Point.

FRANCE APPEALS FOR A U. S. ARMY

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Paris, May 16.—A plea for the United States to send an army to France immediately was issued today by General Petain, the famous soldier who yesterday became commander-in-chief of all the French armies in the field.

"What is imperative now is men," said General Petain. "What France needs most is men—infantry. We fully believe that of all the nations, the United States can do most in the least time. What we look to America for is quick action in order to relieve the nations which have already suffered so much. We look to America also to see big things done."

General Petain dwelt especially upon the need for officers and urged that an American army be sent to the fighting front within three months, if possible.

WAR ECONOMY IN LEATHER.

Measures for the Preservation of Shoes and Harness.

Washington, D. C., May 16.— War demands leather—leather for soldiers' shoes, leather for harness, leather for equipment of many kinds. In this country there is no such surplus that we can afford to waste any of it; and it is wasting leather not to care for and preserve it properly. In the army and out, we all wear shoes. If we manage them rightly they will last longer, we will not need so many new ones and there will be more left for others. The following suggestions from the Leather and Paper Laboratory of the U. S. Department of Agriculture can be utilized by everyone who walks.

To Save Shoes.

Shoes should be oiled or greased whenever the leather begins to get hard or dry. They should be brushed thoroughly and then all the dirt and mud that remains washed off with warm water, the excess water being taken off with a dry cloth. While the shoes are still wet and warm apply the oil or grease with a swab of wool or flannel. It is best to have the oil or grease about as warm as the hand can bear and it should be rubbed well into the leather, preferably with the palm. If necessary, the oil can be applied to dry leather, but it penetrates better when the latter is wet. After treatment the shoes should be left to dry in a place that is warm—not hot.

Castor oil is satisfactory for shoes that are to be polished; for plainer footgear neat's foot, fish oil or oleine may be substituted. If it is desired to make the shoes and boots more waterproof, beef tallow may be added to any of these substances at the rate of half a pound of tallow to a pint of oil. The edge of the sole and the welt should be greased thoroughly. Too much grease can not be applied to these parts.

A simple method of making the soles more durable, pliable and water resistant is to swab them occasionally with linseed oil, setting them aside to dry over night.

Many of the common shoe polishes are harmful to leather. All those which contain sulphuric, hydrochloric or oxalic acids, turpentine, benzine, or other volatile solvents, have a tendency to harden the leather and make it more liable to crack.

It is poor economy, too, to wear a shoe with the heel badly worn on one side. This throws the shoe out of shape and may soon result in its ruin. It is also likely to cause temporary injury to the foot.

To Preserve Harness.

Harness leather, like shoes, can not be neglected without injury that lessens its durability. It should be washed and oiled frequently. The washing should be done in tepid water, with a neutral soap and a sponge or stiff brush. After rinsing in clean tepid water, the harness is hung up to drain a little while before oiling.

For driving harness neatsfoot or castor oil is best, but for heavy harness there may be some tallow in the oil. The applications should be light for driving and liberal for heavy harness. The oil, warm to the hand, is rubbed thoroughly into the leather while it is still wet from the washing. Excess oil which the leather is unable to take up should be removed with a clean, dry cloth.

Offers Prayers for Crops.

Springtime prayers for successful crops are being offered daily this week on estates of wealthy men in the vicinity of Hyde Park. On Col. Archibald Rogers's property Monday 60 employes knelt while the Rev. E. P. Newton, pastor of St. James's Episcopal Church, offered prayer. Tuesday, the minister prayed on the estate of Mrs. James Roosevelt, and today's service was in the fields and gardens of the F. W. Vanderbilt place.

Local Bankers in Albany.

Charles R. O'Connor, cashier of the Rondout National Bank, and Charles Snyder of the National Ulster County Bank, are among the local bankers who will attend the meeting of the bankers of the state to be held at the Hotel TenEyck in Albany this evening. A banquet will be served and the principal speaker will be Frank VanDerlip of the National City Bank of New York city, who will talk on the Liberty Loan bonds about to be issued by the government.

FURIOUS BATTLE ALONG THE AISNE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Paris, May 15.—After a cannonade which lasted all night long the Germans again attacked the French positions north of the Aisne river.

The war office in its official communication today said that a furious battle is raging over a front two and one-half miles wide.

The German crown prince attacked with heavy forces, but was unable to throw the French from any of their positions.

The fighting is especially severe around the village of Moulin de Laffaux.

Other German attacks have been delivered at Berry-au-bac, south of the Aisne river, near Auberive, in Champagne, and at Avocourt on the Verdun front.

At no point, says the war office statement, were the Germans able to gain any ground.

In upper Alsace the French raided a German trench, clearing it of soldiers.

SPARKS FROM THE WAR ANVIL

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—The transfer of Dr. Paul Ritter as minister from Switzerland to a new post at The Hague is believed here to be due to a conviction on the part of the Swiss government that real peace negotiations will be started next autumn.

Washington—The war department is expected to reject all offers that have been made by naturalized Americans to organize regiments of foreign speaking volunteers for service during the war. All such are expected to be advised to enlist in the regular way.

Washington—Several senators and representatives will join the navy for a time if Congress can complete its program and adjourn by July 15.

Washington—The Council of National Defense is considering taking over a number of vacant factories in various parts of the United States and operating them for the manufacture of supplies that are badly needed by the army and the navy.

Washington—Administration officials said today that it was idle to speculate on what action the president will take on the Roosevelt provision in the army draft bill. He has given it no consideration and will not do so until the bill is in his hands, officials said.

Washington—Recruiting for the navy on an even larger scale began today following the Senate's action in increasing the personnel to 150,000 men and the Marine Corps to 30,000 and increasing the pay rates.

Amsterdam—Much encouragement has been given to the Socialists of Holland by the outspoken prediction by George Ledebour in the German Reichstag that a revolution is coming in Germany. The fact that so much freedom is being given German Socialists and their press is taken as an indication that the German government is beginning to fear their strength.

London—Preceding the weekly statement today on the number of ships sunk by submarines it was reported that the losses would be fewer than reported at any other time this month.

Rome—The spring campaign on the Austro-Italian front has opened with a renewal of the Italian drive towards Trieste. Advances were made on the heights southeast of Gorizia (The Carso Plateau), in the Plava sector and also on Monte Cucco, but the Italian troops had to withstand violent counter-attacks by Austro-Hungaran forces. A large number of prisoners, some cannon and machine guns were captured by the Italians.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Deeds Recently Recorded in County Clerk's Office.

The following deeds have been filed in the office of the county clerk:

Oscar M. Smith of Los Angeles to Adam J. Farr of the town of Wawarsing, a parcel of land in the town of Shawangunk. Consideration, $1.

Jacob Novick and wife of Centerville to Jacob Forst of Kingston, a parcel of land in the town of Wawarsing. Consideration, $1.

William B. Martin and wife of Kingston to James Martin of the same place, a parcel of land in the city of Kingston. Consideration, $1.

Charles E. Smith and Edna Smith of Tappan to Jesse F. Ellsworth of Astoria, a parcel of land in the town of Saugerties. Consideration, $1.

Jesse F. Ellsworth and wife of Astoria to Edward Moran of Saugerties, a parcel of land in the town of Saugerties. Consideration, $1.

Anthony F. Rudney to Frank McLaughlin of the town of Marlborough, a parcel of land in the town of Marlborough. Consideration, $273.50.

Saloons Cut From 22 to 7.

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Special bills to require the state to pay its obligations contracted are unusual, just as unusual as the failure of a person to deposit or cash checks on the state which have been sent to them. There is no evidence of reluctance upon the average individual to collect money from the state when the checks have been sent them, so far as the records of the state treasurer show, except in rare instances. The failure of Mr. Edmonston to cash his checks, seven in number as has been stated, stands out as a conspicuous example of either faith in the state or disregard for money or for checks which might have been immediately exchanged for currency.

The state treasurer has a list of outstanding checks which have not yet been cashed and each separate check has a little history all its own and perhaps a separate meaning, as the popular ballad goes. Few of them date back as far as those presented by Cashier Durland, however.

The checks of Edmonston, when paid, will not bear interest, so there was really no good reason why he should have kept them as long as he did, it is explained.

SUFFS TO AID LIBERTY LOAN.

Will Aid Uncle Sam in Advertising and Placing Bonds.

In response to the request of the Liberty Loan Committee of the Second Federal Reserve Banks, the New York State Suffrage Party at a meeting of the State Board held at 303 Fifth avenue, yesterday afternoon voted to offer the help of the state suffrage organization in advertising and placing the Liberty Loan for this district. In this offer is included the use of the state headquarters and the various headquarters in the assembly districts throughout the state wherever practicable and also the co-operation of the speakers' bureau of the suffrage party.

MAY CLOSE HOSPITAL.

Catskill Institution Operated by Two Kingston Young Women.

That the Catskill Hospital, which has been maintained on Broome street for several years by the Misses Woerner and Corrigan, of Kingston, is likely to be closed this fall unless it is sold or taken up by some organization in the village, was the substance of information given the Chamber of Commerce Monday evening by President Austin. Sentiment at the meeting favored a continuance of the institution with possibly a village appropriation aiding its maintenance.—Catskill Mail.

Motor Trucks at Leeds Mills.

Manufacture of motor trucks is proposed for the old Leeds Mills which may be reopened this summer by new owners. A bond issue may be floated of which Catskill people will be asked to take a portion.

GERMAN PRESS IS DIVIDED IN VIEWS

Chancellor's Failure to State Peace Terms Disappoints Socialists—Talk of Peace and War Aims Thought to be Staved Off.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Berlin, May 16.—The refusal of Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the chancellor, to outline Germany's peace terms to the Reichstag was both attacked and praised by German newspapers today.

Radical newspapers representing the extremist group of Socialists expressed the fear that the chances of a separate peace with Russia had been retarded by the attitude of the chancellor, despite his veiled overture.

In fact, so keen was the disappointment of the radical Socialists that a demonstration was planned for tonight to protest against the speech. That the government was anxious over the situation was shown by the extra military precautions that were taken.

The chancellor's speech was extremely vigorous and it was evident that he as well as the kaiser and the high command of the German armies look at the military situation on all fronts in a favorable light.

As the chancellor spoke he wore the uniform of a staff officer and his face showed red tan as though he had been spending much time in the open. His voice was harsh with suppressed emotion as he repeatedly shook a warning finger at the groups that had been attacking him—the Radical Socialists and the Radical Conservatives.

It is felt that all talk of peace and war aims in the Reichstag has been quieted for a long time, perhaps until the autumn. At the same time it is believed that the political position of the chancellor has been strengthened despite the renewal of attacks against him by certain newspapers today.

The attitude of the ruling group in Germany as expressed by Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, is this:

"Despite the growing number of her enemies, Germany can fight on indefinitely, encouraged by the situation in Russia and the fact that the allies are paying for gains on the western front with enormous losses of life. The part the United States is playing in the war is given little consideration at this time although it may cause anxiety later. The expression of war aims would have been interpreted in the allied countries probably as a sign of weakness on the part of Germany—consequently Germany is silent. Good results are being attained from the ruthless submarine war as is attested by the expressions of anxiety in the British press."

IT WAS BOOZE DAY IN COURT

Ostrander Schoonmaker Had Been Drinking But Was Positive He Was Perfectly Sober—Mr. Van DeBogart Was a Dry Town Man.

Ostrander Schoonmaker, 69 years old, who has been on "a tear" for the past week, was picked up this morning by Officer Boyd and brought to the city hall and arraigned before Recorder Lang on a charge of public intoxication.

"I am not drunk, your honor," said Mr. Schoonmaker, swaying unsteadily on his legs, "but I will say that I have been drinking. I use it just as a tonic for my stomach."

"I can see you are perfectly sober," said the court, sarcastically, "and I'll sentence you to three days in jail to recuperate."

William Van DeBogart of Mt. Pleasant, which is located in a dry town, came to Kingston on Tuesday to purchase a pair of shoes. He made the purchase and then as trading made him dry he wandered into a saloon lugging his purchase under his arms and proceeded to prove that even if he was a dry town man he still had a desire to taste joy water.

He was picked up later by Officer Kuehn, who found William hanging onto an electric pole, and this morning was arraigned before Recorder Lang and said that he wanted to always tell the truth and must acknowledge that he was drunk.

"Did you buy the pair of shoes you came to town for?" queried the court.

"Yes, your honor," replied William, "but I don't know what I did with them."

William was relieved to learn that the police had his shoes safe in police headquarters and the court gave him until noon to get back to his farm.

OPENS MEMORIAL DAY.

New Summer Resort Near Rifton Offers Many Attractions.

The Grand View Inn at Rifton will open for the season on Decoration Day and will be in charge of Nathan Hahn, formerly with Hotel Imperial, 32nd street and Broadway, New York city, and at present connected with the New York Central restaurant at the Grand Central Station in that city. It is planned to have dancing every Saturday afternoon and evening as soon as the Inn opens. The proprietors of the Inn have decided to present to the government all of the land that can be used for cultivation for garden purposes.

SPECULATORS ARE HELD RESPONSIBLE

Food Prices Due to Corners for Most Part, According to Federal Evidence—Food and Speeding Up War Work Problems for President.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—How to speed up the war work and best solve the food problem were two questions very seriously troubling President Wilson today. Both have been becoming more and more pressing daily and both are to be made the subject of cabinet consideration on Friday.

The food question already has been put up to congress but the president has been told that the leaders are far from being in accord on the subject. They say that the situation is by no means as desperate as the president has been led to believe. And they declare that it will be impossible to secure enough votes to pass any measure which will create a food dictator or allow the fixing of maximum prices unless the president personally demands it.

It has been suggested to the president that he address congress on the subject. He has this under consideration but it is not believed that he will do so at present. The one thing that the administration feels confident congress willingly will do will be the passage of laws which will make it possible to control the food speculators.

There is a mass of evidence now in the hands of the attorney-general and of the agricultural department which proves conclusively that the present high range of prices is due for most part to the fact that speculators have the food market cornered. The big storage warehouses are jammed to the limit with supplies which under ordinary circumstances would be on the market. They are being held for still higher prices. Officials say that if congress will immediately pass legislation which will give the government control of the situation these goods will be dumped on the market and prices in many instances must be cut in half.

On the speeding up of the war program there are many things which are troubling the administration. It is violating no secret to say that certain phases of the war work are more than two months behind—in certain instances this is due to the multiplicity of persons who are responsible. Central control is very greatly needed and the need is becoming more and more apparent. Secretary of the Navy Daniels has in person appealed to the senate and house leaders to speed his legislation and this will be done.

Many early mistakes must now be corrected. Officials express the deepest regret that the navy department did not accept an offer made by Charles M. Schwab some months ago. He came to Washington and offered to build standard destroyers of the latest type, to have the first two ready for service by July 1, and thereafter to turn two over a week to the government. The secretary did not at that time see the need and the offer was rejected. Now destroyers are very badly needed and it is admitted the rejection of the offer was a bad mistake. This is a sample of a number of mistakes that have been made and officials declare that they must continue to be made until a new plan of centralized authority can be devised.

OPENING GAINS QUICKLY LOST

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, May 16.—There was a little accumulation of outside buying orders at the opening of the stock market today and a number of issues then made moderate gains. This demand, however, was quickly supplied and before the end of the first fifteen minutes a reaction was in order which quickly reduced many of the opening gains. Steel Common advanced ⅜ to 117⅛ and was actively traded in for a time, at and above 117. Industrial Alcohol advanced 1⅛ to 126¾, followed by a reaction to 125½. Marine Preferred advanced ¾ to 79¼, from which it reacted to 78⅜. Crucible Steel moved up ¾ to 66¾ and then reacted to 66½. The copper stocks were steady in the initial trading, but later Utah yielded ¼ to 112¾. Bethlehem Steel G advanced ⅞ to 123⅛.

Seek Soldier's Daughter.

Ellen Horan, also known as Helen Horan, a daughter of Thomas Horan, a member of the Sixty-ninth Regiment, New York Infantry, who was killed in the battle of Fair Oaks, Virginia, on July 1, 1862, is being sought by pension examiners as she has a considerable sum of pension money awaiting her. The girl was last heard of in Newburgh, where she was a member of the family of George W. Couch in 1862.

Youthful Auto Thieves.

Three youths, members of a gang of automobile thieves who have been staging robberies in Poughkeepsie for the past month or more, were arrested Monday night and confessions of the theft of five automobiles were obtained. The arrested youths are Kenneth DuBois, Philip Senk and Emmet Losee.

AMERICA DOES NOT FEEL "WAR THROB"

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—America is not really in the war.

Officials of both England and France who are in the national capital, as well as other allied diplomatic representatives, frankly say that the mass of the population of the United States does not actually know the "war throb."

While officials have only the highest praise for the activity of the administration in its preparations to throw the entire resources of the nation into the European conflict, and while they laud the patriotism of the citizens of the United States, still they state that America can never arouse itself to its true war pitch until it has felt the actual pangs of war.

They point to their own countries as examples of what happened during the early days of the war, when everyone was patriotic and gave much "lip service," as one envoy has put it, but it took months before the mass population became aroused to the point of highest sacrifice.

Sacrifice, the foreign representatives say, is the keynote of the war. When the peoples of a country are aroused to such a state that they will give up their ideals, their convictions, as well as their physical comforts then they are truly in the war.

"We have found in this war," one allied representative said today, "that it is not hard for men to toss their lives away on the field of battle for a great cause. But when men toss their convictions and their ideals aside, at home, for a great cause, with no accompanying excitement of battle and none of the glory of military sacrifice, then they are truly in the war, and taking an active part."

"It is these sacrifices which make a people a war people."

100 MILES OF FORTIFICATION

By Telegraph to The Freeman

London, May 16.—Stretching from Lens for one hundred miles or more all France is one solid fortification. The Germans, with characteristic forethought, have fortified every building, turning factories, mines, stone quarries and even the cemeteries into fortresses. Farm houses have been transformed into blockhouses bristling with machine guns. All these fortified works are linked up with trenches and at some points enormous dugouts have been constructed big enough to hold 1,000 men.

In the fighting about Hoeux the British had to overcome German garrisons that had fortified a chemical works and a cemetery. The grave stones were used as defensive works and caverns had been dug, in many places exposing bones that had reposed in peace for scores of years.

A favorite form of defensive material with German officers is windmills and water towers. These afford not only fortifications but excellent observation posts.

Hard fighting all along the British front continues with Field Marshall Haig "nibbling" at the German line rather than attempting to smash his way through with a direct frontal attack over a wide front.

There were violent actions around Bullecourt where the British menace to the Hindenburg line is now the most serious of all.

HOWARD RAN AWAY.

Middletown Boy Picked up by Sergeant Hanley.

Tuesday police headquarters received a request from Middletown to pick up one Howard Talmadge, 13 years old, who had ran away. Sergeant Hanley found him aboard an O. & W. train that afternoon and brought him to the city hall. It developed that Howard had been committed to an institution at Thiels, N. Y., and had escaped from the attendant. This morning Recorder Lang decided to hold him until Sergeant Hanley could communicate with the proper authorities. Howard was poorly dressed, wearing shoes but no stockings and was also minus a shirt.

Guard to Mobilize in June.

While no official confirmation can be obtained from the military authorities, it is regarded as more than likely that the mobilization of New York's National Guard at Camp Whitman, ordered for this week, will necessarily have to be postponed until some time in June. Inability of the war department to furnish sufficient equipment has made the postponement necessary. Word from Washington is to the effect that the existing National Guard organizations in this state not already in federal service will be mustered into Uncle Sam's service not later than June 15. This will mean that about 19,000 of the state's quota of 25,000 National Guardsmen will be called upon to take the federal oath.

Motored to New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Murphy and son, Andrew, Jr., motored to New York city this morning. They are expected back Thursday evening.

A STRANGLE-HOLD UPON BULLECOURT

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

London, May 16.—The British strangle-hold on the hotly contested village of Bullecourt has been strengthened by the fighting of the past twenty-four hours, the war office announced today in its report on operations east of Arras.

Violent fighting is again in progress north of the Scarpe river.

In the sector of Roeux, which the British captured on Sunday, direct assault and counter-attack have followed each other repeatedly while the artillery on both sides pounds away without cessation.

The text of the official report follows:

"The fighting Tuesday in the western part of Bullecourt resulted to our advantage.

"A few prisoners were captured on the Hindenburg line, east of Bullecourt.

"There is severe fighting in progress north of the Scarpe river."

C. E. CONVENTION OPENS NEXT WEEK

The Twenty-Fifth Annual Convention of the Ulster County Christian Endeavor Union at Wallkill, May 21 and 22—Fine Program.

The twenty-fifth annual convention of the Ulster County Christian Endeavor Union will open on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Reformed Church at Wallkill, and a fine program has been arranged for the two days' session.

It is expected that Kingston will be represented and that every C. E. Society in the city will have one or more delegates at the sessions. The official program follows:

Monday Afternoon.

1:00—Songs of Conquest, led by Rev. R. P. Ingersoll, Saugerties.

4:15—Regimental Worship, Rev. G. DeMotts, Wallkill.

4:30—Address, "The Future Endeavorer," Mrs. Jas. L. Brydie, New York city.

4:45—Conference on Junior Work, Mrs. Brydie.

5:15—Junior Drill and Exercises.

5:30—Break Ranks.

Monday Evening.

7:15—Prelude, Orchestra, "Tone-poem," by Roberts.

Vesper Service, Rev. Geo. Scoullon, New Hurley.

Solo, Rev. R. P. Ingersoll.

7:30—We R Glad U R Here. Edward Mastin, president, Wallkill society.

So R We, Rev. George Hamilton Scofield, Ph. D., president County Union.

Anthem, "O, Savior of the World," by Goss.

7:45 Quilting Party, Dr. E. K. Lee, Kingston.

8:15—Orders of the Day, and War Tax

Offertory Solo by Miss Lillian Mentz.

8:30—Address, Rev. F. G. Coffin, D. D., of Albany, commander of New York C. E. Army.

Anthem, "Kipling's Recessional," by DeKoven

Taps

Tuesday Morning.

8:00—Patriotic Preparedness Parade through Wallkill.

9:00—Quiet Hour in charge of Mrs. Geo. Roosa, Wallkill.

9:15—Report of District Secretary, Luther S. Decker, Kingston.

Report of County Treasurer, Miss Ida Burnett, Saugerties.

Roll Call of Societies, Miss Minnie Swart, Kingston.

Reports of Committees.

Election of Officers.

Unfinished Business.

10:15—Dollar Pie. Rev. A. S. Cole, Kingston.

10:30—Greetings from the Sunrise Kingdom, Rev. Lumar R. Shaefer, St. Remy.

10:00—School of Methods. Rev. Herbert Jones, Saugerties.

11:30—Tenth Legion, Field Secretary Harold A. Waite.

12:00—A Visit to Commissary Department.

Tuesday Afternoon.

1:00—Open Air Service.

1:30—Devotions, Rev. R. P. Ingersoll.

1:45—Hot Shots at the Enemy, by W. W. Brady, Jr.

2:15—Graduation of Experts and Presentation of Awards.

2:30—Conference and Address, Harold A. Waite, field officer, New York C. E. Army.

3:30—Shoulder Arms.

At Kingston City Hospital.

James Hungerford, who was injured in the north yard of the West Shore railroad on Tuesday afternoon, was later removed to the Kingston City Hospital in the ambulance.

Simon Lyons was conveyed from the Eagle Hotel to the Kingston City Hospital Tuesday afternoon in the ambulance.

Off to Madison Barracks.

Ray Thompson left Sunday for Madison Barracks where he will join the officers' training school. Mr. Thompson already holds a commission in the officers' reserve corps, having had two years training at the United State Military Academy at West Point.

FRANCE APPEALS FOR A U. S. ARMY

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Paris, May 16.—A plea for the United States to send an army to France immediately was issued today by General Petain, the famous soldier who yesterday became commander-in-chief of all the French armies in the field.

"What is imperative now is men," said General Petain. "What France needs most is men—infantry. We fully believe that of all the nations, the United States can do most in the least time. What we look to America for is quick action in order to relieve the nations which have already suffered so much. We look to America also to see big things done."

General Petain dwelt especially upon the need for officers and urged that an American army be sent to the fighting front within three months, if possible.

WAR ECONOMY IN LEATHER.

Measures for the Preservation of Shoes and Harness.

Washington, D. C., May 16.—War demands leather—leather for soldiers' shoes, leather for harness, leather for equipment of many kinds. In this country there is no such surplus that we can afford to waste any of it; and it is wasting leather not to care for and preserve it properly in the army and out, we all wear shoes. If we manage them rightly they will last longer, we will not need so many new ones and there will be more left for others. The following suggestions from the Leather and Paper Laboratory of the U. S. Department of Agriculture can be utilized by everyone who walks.

To Save Shoes.

Shoes should be oiled or greased whenever the leather begins to get hard or dry. They should be brushed thoroughly and then all the dirt and mud that remains washed off with warm water, the excess water being taken off with a dry cloth. While the shoes are still wet and warm apply the oil or grease with a swab of wool or flannel. It is best to have the oil or grease about as warm as the hand can bear and it should be rubbed well into the leather, preferably with the palm. If necessary, the oil can be applied to dry leather, but it penetrates better when the latter is wet. After treatment the shoes should be left to dry in a place that is warm—not hot.

Castor oil is satisfactory for shoes that are to be polished; for plainer footgear neat's foot, fish oil or oleine may be substituted. If it is desired to make the shoes and boots more waterproof, beef tallow may be added to any of these substances at the rate of half a pound of tallow to a pint of oil. The edge of the sole and the welt should be greased thoroughly. Too much grease can not be applied to these parts.

A simple method of making the soles more durable, pliable and water resistant is to swab them occasionally with linseed oil, setting them aside to dry over night

Many of the common shoe polishes are harmful to leather. All those which contain sulphuric, hydrochloric or oxalic acids, turpentine, benzine, or other volatile solvents, have a tendency to harden the leather and make it more liable to crack

It is poor economy, too, to wear a shoe with the heel badly worn on one side. This throws the shoe out of shape and may soon result in its ruin. It is also likely to cause temporary injury to the foot.

To Preserve Harness.

Harness leather, like shoes, can not be neglected without injury that lessens its durability. It should be washed and oiled frequently. The washing should be done in tepid water, with a neutral soap and a sponge or stiff brush. After rinsing in clean tepid water, the harness is hung up to drain a little while before oiling.

For driving harness neatsfoot or castor oil is best, but for heavy harness there may be some tallow in the oil. The applications should be light for driving and liberal for heavy harness. The oil, warm to the hand, is rubbed thoroughly into the leather while it is still wet from the washing. Excess oil which the leather is unable to take up should be removed with a clean, dry cloth.

Offers Prayers for Crops.

Springtime prayers for successful crops are being offered daily this week on estates of wealthy men in the vicinity of Hyde Park. On Col. Archibald Rogers's property Monday 60 employes knelt while the Rev. E. P. Newton, pastor of St. James's Episcopal Church, offered prayer. Tuesday, the minister prayed on the estate of Mrs. James Roosevelt, and today's service was in the fields and gardens of the F. W. Vanderbilt place.

Local Bankers in Albany.

Charles R. O'Connor, cashier of the Rondout National Bank, and Charles Snyder of the National Ulster County Bank, are among the local bankers who will attend the meeting of the bankers of the state to be held at the Hotel TenEyck in Albany this evening. A banquet will be served and the principal speaker will be Frank VanDerlip of the National City Bank of New York city, who will talk on the Liberty Loan bonds about to be issued by the government.

FURIOUS BATTLE ALONG THE AISNE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Paris, May 16.—After a cannonade which lasted all night long the Germans again attacked the French positions north of the Aisne river.

The war office in its official communication today said that a furious battle is raging over a front two and one-half miles wide.

The German crown prince attacked with heavy forces, but was unable to throw the French from any of their positions.

The fighting is especially severe around the village of Moulin de Laffaux.

Other German attacks have been delivered at Berry-au-bac, south of the Aisne river, near Auberive, in Champagne, and at Avocourt on the Verdun front.

At no point, says the war office statement, were the Germans able to gain any ground.

In upper Alsace the French raided a German trench, clearing it of soldiers.

SPARKS FROM THE WAR ANVIL

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—The transfer of Dr. Paul Ritter as minister from Switzerland to a new post at The Hague is believed here to be due to a conviction on the part of the Swiss government that real peace negotiations will be started next autumn.

Washington—The war department is expected to reject all offers that have been made by naturalized Americans to organize regiments of foreign speaking volunteers for service during the war. All such are expected to be advised to enlist in the regular way.

Washington—Several senators and representatives will join the navy for a time if Congress can complete its program and adjourn by July 13.

Washington—The Council of National Defense is considering taking over a number of vacant factories in various parts of the United States and operating them for the manufacture of supplies that are badly needed by the army and the navy.

Washington—Administration officials said today that it was idle to speculate on what action the president will take on the Roosevelt provision in the army draft bill. He has given it no consideration and will not do so until the bill is in his hands, officials said.

Washington—Recruiting for the navy on an even larger scale began today following the Senate's action in increasing the personnel to 150,000 men and the Marine Corps to 30,000 and increasing the pay rates.

Amsterdam—Much encouragement has been given to the Socialists of Holland by the outspoken prediction by George Ledebour in the German Reichstag that a revolution is coming in Germany. The fact that so much freedom is being given German Socialists and their press is taken as an indication that the German government is beginning to fear their strength.

London—Preceding the weekly statement today on the number of ships sunk by submarines it was reported that the losses would be fewer than reported at any other time this month.

Rome—The spring campaign on the Austro-Italian front has opened with a renewal of the Italian drive towards Trieste. Advances were made on the heights southeast of Gorizia (The Carso Plateau), in the Plava sector and also on Monte Cucco, but the Italian troops had to withstand violent counter-attacks by Austro-Hungarian forces. A large number of prisoners, some cannon and machine guns were captured by the Italians.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Deeds Recently Recorded in County Clerk's Office.

The following deeds have been filed in the office of the county clerk:

Oscar M. Smith of Los Angeles to Adam J. Farr of the town of Wawarsing, a parcel of land in the town of Shawangunk. Consideration, $1.

Jacob Novick and wife of Centerville to Jacob Foret of Kingston, a parcel of land in the town of Wawarsing. Consideration, $1.

William B. Martin and wife of Kingston to James Martin of the same place, a parcel of land in the city of Kingston. Consideration, $1.

Charles E. Smith and Edna Smith of Tappan to Jesse F. Ellsworth of Astoria, a parcel of land in the town of Saugerties. Consideration, $1.

Jesse F. Ellsworth and wife of Astoria to Edward Moran of Saugerties, a parcel of land in the town of Saugerties. Consideration, $1.

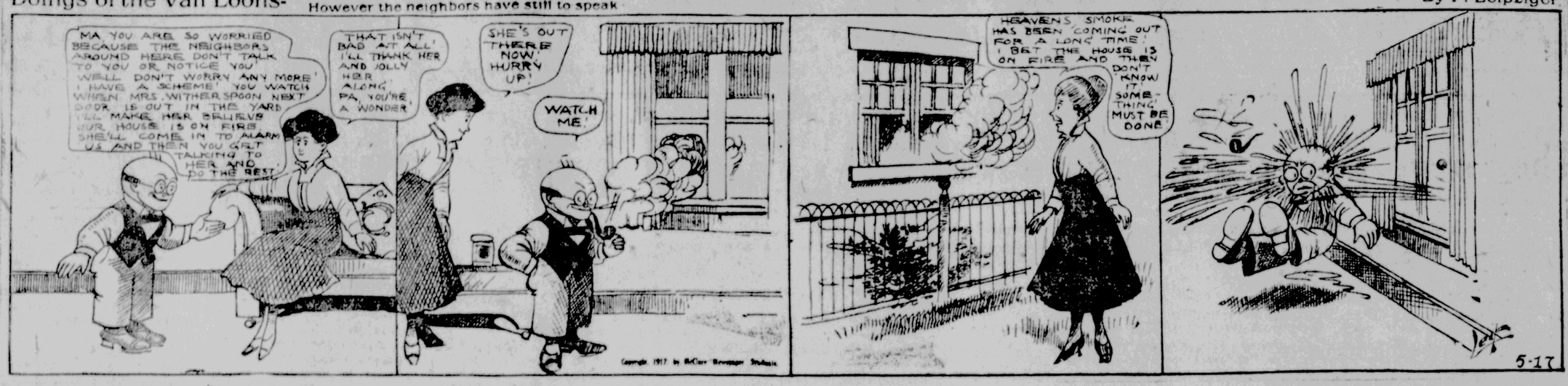
Anthony F. Rodney to Frank McLaughlin of the town of Marlborough, a parcel of land in the town of Marlborough. Consideration, $273.50.

Saloons Cut From 22 to 7.

Under the new excise law saloons in Highland Falls, Orange county, will be cut from 22 to 7.

Doings of the Van Loons- However the neighbors have still to speak

By F. Leipziger



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WALL STREET

STREET GOSSIP ABOUT TOWN

"Today is the tenth anniversary of the first gun fired in the campaign to reopen the old D. & H. canal," remarked the politician to his friend.

"What do you mean?" asked the friend.

"Just ten years ao," replied the politician, "thirteen earnest rooters for the canal gathered at the Mansion House and enjoyed a banquet and talked over what should be done to open the canal to traffic."

"Nothing was ever done was there?" queried the friend.

"Not as far as getting results," replied the politician, "and mayhaps it was due to the number of boomers who fired the opening gun."

"How is that?" queried the friend.

"They say that thirteen is an unlucky number," returned the politician gravely, "and just thirteen enjoyed that first banquet and look at the canal today."

"Looks as though there was something to that number superstition at that," commented the friend.

"Talking about numbers," continued the politician, "the last of the month there will be just eight vacancies on the city boards."

"I think you are high on your estimate," argued the friend.

"No I am not," replied the politician, "there is one vacancy on the board of public works."

"Yes I know that," said the friend.

"And on the health board there are four vacancies," continued the politician.

"Who are they?" queried the friend.

"Last year the terms of John E. Mahar and Frank Kaufman expired and in March of this year the terms of Charles L. McBride and Dr. Fred Huhne ran out."

"That gives you but five vacancies," argued the friend.

"But I am not through yet," replied the politician.

"On the police board there are two vacancies," continued the politician, "for last year the term of William D. Cashin expired and on May 4 of this year the term of Jacob Lay expired."

"Both are Democrats, are they not?" asked the friend.

"Yep," replied the politician, "but it is expected that the mayor will appoint two Republicans to sort of balance up the police board."

"And your eighth vacancy?" asked the friend.

"The last of the month the term of Major Chandler expires as water commissioner and that gives you the eight vacacies I mentioned," explained the politician.

"They ought to be easy to fill," commented the friends as the politican paused.

"Not as easy as you think," replied the politician, "for there are a lot of good men who would not want to serve on some of the boards."

"Why?" asked the friend.

"In the first place they have not got the time to devote to it," explained the politician.

"I should think it would be easy to fill out the police board though," argued the friend.

"That's the easiest board to fill of them all," replied the politician, "for there are a lot of men who would like nothing better than to be a police commissioner."

"What's the idea?" queried the friend.

"So the cop on the beat will salute him when he passes by," explained the politician with a grin.

"Which puts me in mind of a police commissioner 'somewhere in New York state' who took great pride in his office," said the politician.

"Shoot," said the friend scenting a yarn.

"It seems that he was proud of his honor," continued the politician, "that he felt highly indignant unless his friends saluted him as 'Commissioner' when they met him."

"Go ahead," urged the friend.

"Well one night some friends of the commissioner got together at the club and decided to put up a job on the official," continued the politician, "and they managed to secure a cop's uniform which had been used in a masquerade held at the club recently and placed it on a dummy they secured from one of the stores."

"Move along," commented the friend as the politician stopped to light his cigar.

"Anyway," resumed the politician, "they placed this dummy in a dark corner in one of the rooms in the club and surrounded him with some empty beer bottles and hung the cage of a parrot nearby, and then went searching for the commissioner."

"They found the commissioner playing checkers with a friend and breaking into the game they called his attention to the fact that the cop on the beat had sneaked into the club room and was whiling away time drinking booze and sleeping on his post."

"The commissioner jumped up somewhat indignant and hustled to the room where the dummy slumped in a chair and greeted the dummy with the queston: 'Hey there what do you mean being off your beat.'"

"The dummy, of course, made no reply and the commissioner rapidly got mad and jumped up and down shouting, 'Hey there wake up don't you know who I am?'"

"Just then the parrot took a hand in the proceedings and croaked, 'Oh go soak you head.'"

That settled it. The commissioner with a bound leaped at the dummy to haul the supposed cop to his feet.

"It is best to draw the curtain here," concluded the politician as he waved good bye to his friend and boarded an approaching trolley car.

"Never tasted anything so good in my life as POST TOASTIES" —Bobby

ALLABEN.

Allaben, May 16.—Mrs. C. H. Carter and daughter, Leona, of New York city arrived at their summer home up Peck Hollow last Saturday.

The proceeds of the supper given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Shandaken Church last Wednesday evening for church improvements was about fifteen dollars.

Harry Linten is building a large bungalow on his property in this place.

William Risley of Stamford was a guest of his father, Edmund Risley, Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Dickson and son of Arena, Delaware county, were guests of G. F. Van Keuren last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beekman, who have been spending the winter at the Glenbrook Hotel, have returned to their home for the summer at Shandaken.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthw Benson and granddaughter of Troy are guests of H. B. Buley at Shandaken this week.

Quite a number of fishermen spent the week end at the hotel of George H. Gulnick.

Quite a few people of Allaben expect to attend the Catholic social at the airdrome at Pine Hill Thursday evening of this week.

Mrs. H. Seebeck and daughter, Helen, were guests of Mrs. G. F. Van Keuren last Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Coons has returned to her home in Shandaken after spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Hiram Whitney, at Grand Gorge.

Thomas Burns and wife of Amsterdam are guests of his sister, Mrs. David Griffin, at the Clarendon Hotel at Shandaken.

Abram Peck of Arkville, Alonzo Winne of Ashokan and Augustus Winne of Kingston were guests of Peter Winne last Sunday.

Elizabeth Pearsall was a guest of Dr. and Mrs. Brown at the mountain school last Saturday and Sunday.

SLIDE MOUNTAIN.

Slide Mountain, May 15.—William Short is again in this country. He has moved from Branch to Mr. Siefert's farm of this place.

It is rumored that Frank Castle of Pine Hill has purchased a farm of Warren Johnson, now occupied by John Maben. Castle will take possession this spring.

Mrs. Marvin Vandermark of Winnisook made a business trip to Big Indian Saturday.

W. Short purchased a fine cow of Charles Andrews one day last week.

Sherman Whipple of Big Indian is moving his family to Montela.

Mr. Fancher has rented Mr. Siemar's farm for the the coming season. He and Louis Lahn expect to go in the dairy business.

L. Ryan of Winnisook called on relatives in this place recently.

Mrs. Will Ennist passed through this place Tuesday on her way to Branch, where she is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Joslin.

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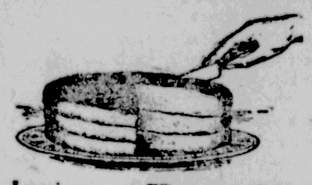

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Among the following may be found some dish which will appeal to the taste of a few members of the family.

Savory Chicken Fricassee.—Cut up a four-pound chicken, put the legs, wings, neck and giblets in the bottom of a stewpan; chop together a fourth of a cupful of ham, three medium-sized onions, one pimento, and sprinkle this over the layer of chicken, season with salt and pepper and place the remainder of the chicken on this, cover with boiling water, cover tightly and simmer for one hour. The gravy should be thickened with flour, it may be blended with a little of the broth, using a tablespoonful of flour to a cupful of broth.

Crumpets—Dissolve a half of a compressed-yeast cake in a little warm milk, add more, making three cupfuls of milk, add a half teaspoonful of salt, and stir in four cupfuls of flour, let stand overnight, and in the morning add two tablespoonfuls of melted butter and a fourth of a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a tablespoonful of hot water. Beat thoroughly, put into well-buttered muffin rings, filling them half full; let rise a half-hour and bake in a quick oven.

Chili Con Carne.—Grind a pound of round steak, then brown it in two teaspoonfuls of beef drippings. Cover with boiling water, cook until tender, season with salt and a tablespoonful of chili powder, add a can of kidney beans, two tablespoonfuls of chopped onion, a quart of tomatoes and simmer until the tomato pulp is entirely absorbed. Serve hot with rice.

Baked Ham With Apples.—Have a slice of ham cut an inch thick, wipe, trim off most of the fat, and rub in as much of 1½ cupfuls of brown sugar as it will take up. Lay in a pan and cover with ten cloves. Pare and cut six tart apples in quarters and lay them around the ham. Sprinkle the remaining sugar over the apples and add a half cupful of water carefully, not to dislodge the sugar. Cover and bake 45 minutes, or until the ham is tender.

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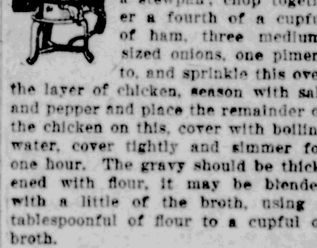

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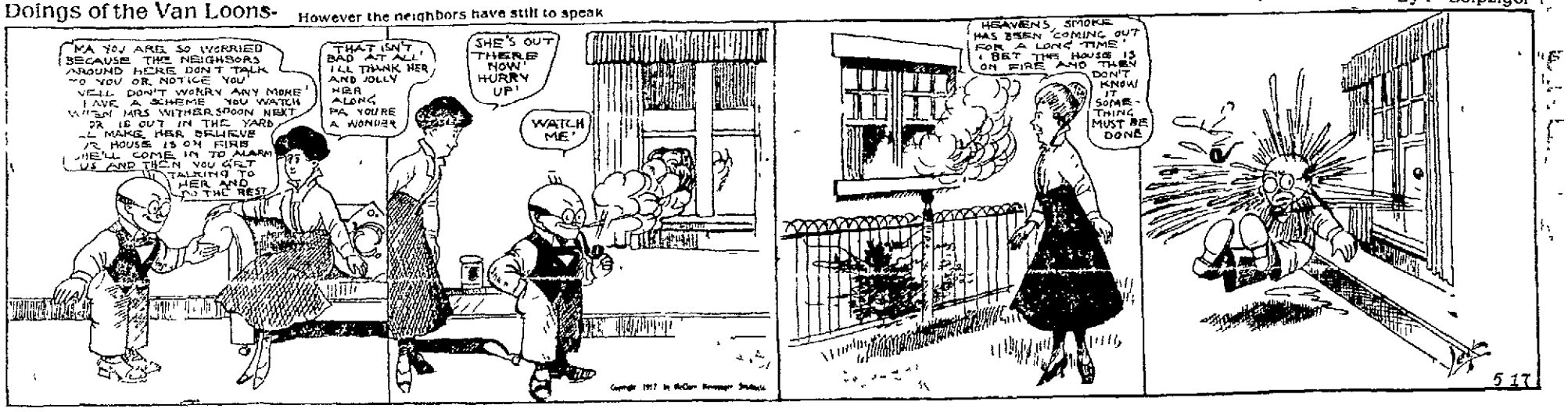

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WALL STREET

STREET GOSSIP ABOUT TOWN

Today is the tenth anniversary of the first gun fired in the campaign to reopen the old D & H canal remarked the politician to his friend

What do you mean? asked the friend

Just ten years ago replied the politician thirteen earnest rooters for the canal gathered at the Mansion House and enjoyed a banquet and talked over what should be done to open the canal to traffic

Nothing was ever done was there? queried the friend

Not as far as getting results replied the politician and maybe it was due to the number of boomers who fired the opening gun

How is that? queried the friend

They say that thirteen is an unlucky number returned the politician gravely and just thirteen enjoyed that first banquet and look at the canal today

Looks as though there was something to that number superstition at that commented the friend

Talking about numbers continued the politician the last of the month there will be just eight vacancies on the city boards

I think you are high on your estimate argued the friend

No I am not replied the politician there is one vacancy on the board of public works

Yes I know that said the friend are four vacancies continued the politician

Who are they? queried the friend

I just seen the terms of John F Maher and Frank Kaufman expired and in March of this year the terms of Charles L McBride and Hiram Hulme ran out

That gives you but five vacancies argued the friend

But I'm not through yet replied the politician

On the police board there are two vacancies continued the politician for just year the term of William D Cashin expired and on May 4 of this year the term of Jacob Lay expired

Both are Democrat are they not? asked the friend

Yep replied the politician but it is expected that the mayor will appoint two Republicans to sort of balance up the police board

And your eight vacancies? asked the friend

The last of the month the term of Major Chandler expires as water commissioner and that gives you the eight vacancies I mentioned explained the politician

They ought to be easy to fill commented the friends as the politician paused

Not as easy as you think replied the politician for there are a lot of good men who would not want to serve on some of the boards

Why? asked the friend

In the first place they have not got the time to devote to it explained the politician

I should think it would be easy to fill out the police board though argued the friend

That's the easiest board to fill of them all replied the politician for there are a lot of men who would like nothing better than to be a police commissioner

What's the idea? queried the friend

So the cop on the beat will salute him when he passes by explained the politician with a grin

Which puts me in mind of a police commissioner somewhere in New York state who took great pride in his office said the politician

Shoo said the friend scenting a yarn

It seems that he was proud of his honor continued the politician that he felt highly indignant unless his friends saluted him as Commissioner when they met him

Go ahead urged the friend

Well one night some friends of the commissioner got together at the club and decided to put up a job on the official continued the politician and they managed to secure a cops uniform which had been used in a masquerade held at the club recently and placed it on a dummy they secured from one of the stores

Move along commented the friend as the politician stopped to light his cigar

An hour passed the politician they placed this dummy in a dark corner in one of the rooms in the club and surrounded him with some empty beer bottles and hung the cage of a parrot nearby and then went searching for the commissioner

They found the commissioner playing checkers with a friend and breaking into the game they called his attention to the fact that the cop on the beat had sneaked into the club room and was whiling away time drinking booze and sleeping on his post

The commissioner jumped up somewhat indignant and hustled to the room where the dummy slumped in a chair and greeted the dummy with the question Hey there what do you mean being off your beat

The dummy of course made no reply and the commissioner rapidly got mad and jumped up and down shouting Hey there wake up don't you know who I am?

Just then the parrot took a hand in the proceedings and croaked Oh go soak you head

That settled it The commissioner with a bound leaped at the dummy to haul the supposed cop to his feet

It is best to draw the curtain here concluded the politician as he waved good bye to his friend and boarded an approaching trolley

ALLAIRE

Allaire May 16 Mrs C H Carter and daughter Leona of New York city arrived at their summer home up Peck Hollow last Saturday

The proceeds of the supper given by the Ladies Aid Society of the Shandaken Church last Wednesday evening for church improvements was about fifteen dollars

Harry Linton is building a large bungalow on his property in this place

William Risley of Stamford was a guest of his father Edmund Risley Monday of this week

Mr and Mrs F H Dickson and son of Arena Delaware county, were guests of G F Van Keuren last Sunday

Mr and Mrs George Beekman who have been spending the winter at the Glenbrook Hotel have returned to their home for the summer at Shandaken

Mr and Mrs Matthw Benson and granddaughter of Troy are guests of H B Bailey at Shandaken this week

Quite a number of fishermen spent the week end at the hotel of George H Gulnick

Quite a few people of Allaire expect to attend the Catholic social at the airdrome at Pine Hill Thursday evening of this week

Mrs H Seebeck and daughter Helen were guests of Mrs G F Van Keuren last Sunday

Mrs Ella Coons has returned to her home in Shandaken after spending a few weeks with her daughter Mrs Hiram Whitney at Grand Gorge

Thomas Burns and wife of Amsterdam are guests of his sister Mrs David Griffin at the Clarendon Hotel at Shandaken

Abram Pock of Arkville Alonzo Winne of Ashokan and Augustus Winne of Kingston were guests of Peter Winne last Sunday

Elizabeth Pearsall was a guest of Dr and Mrs Brown at the mountain school last Saturday and Sunday

SLIDE MOUNTAIN

Slide Mountain, May 15 —William Short is again in this country He has moved from Branch to Mr Siefert's farm of this place

It is rumored that Frank Castle of Pine Hill has purchased a farm of Warren Johnson now occupied by John Maden Castle will take possession this spring

Mrs Martin Vandermark of Winchook made a business trip to Big Indian Saturday

W Short purchased a fine cow of Charles Andrews one day last week

Sherman Whipple of Big Indian is moving his family to Montela

Mr Fancher has rented Mr Siemer's farm for the the coming season He and Louis Lafin expect to go in the dairy business

L Ryan of Winnisook called on relatives in this place recently

Mrs Will Fanist passed through this place Tuesday on her way to Branch where she is visiting her parents Mr and Mrs Asa Joslin

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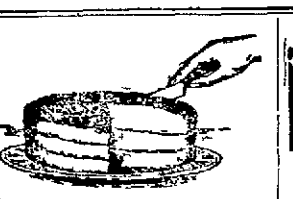

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Duty is a power which rises with us in the morning and goes to rest with us at night It is the shadow that cleaves to us go where we will and which leaves us only when we leave the light of life—W E Gladstone.

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE

Among the following may be found some dish which will appeal to the taste of a few members of the family

Savory Chicken Fricassee—Cut up a four pound chicken put the legs wings neck and giblets in the bottom of a stewpan chop together a fourth of a cupful of ham three medium sized onions one pimento and sprinkle this over the layer of chicken season with salt and pepper and place the remainder of the chicken on this cover with boiling water cover tightly and simmer for one hour The gravy should be thickened with flour it may be blended with a little of the broth using a tablespoonful of flour to a cupful of broth

Crumpets—Dissolve a half of a compressed yeast cake in a little warm milk add more making three cupfuls of milk add a half teaspoonful of salt, and stir in four cupfuls of flour let stand overnight and in the morning add two tablespoonfuls of melted butter and a fourth of a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a tablespoonful of hot water Beat thoroughly put into well buttered muffin rings filling them half full, let rise a half hour and bake in a quick oven

Chili Con Carne—Grind a pound of round steak then brown it in two teaspoonfuls of beef drippings Cover with boiling water cook until tender season with salt and a tablespoonful of chili powder add a can of kidney beans two tablespoonfuls of chopped onion a quart of tomatoes and simmer until the tomato pulp is entirely absorbed Serve hot with rice

Baked Ham With Apples—Have a slice of ham cut an inch thick wipe trim off most of the fat and rub in as much of 1½ cupfuls of brown sugar as it will take up Lay in a pan and cover with ten cloves Pare and cut six tart apples in quarters and lay them around the ham Sprinkle the remaining sugar over the apples and add a half cupful of water carefully not to dislodge the sugar Cover and bake 40 minutes or until the ham is tender

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Interest at the rate of 4% per annum was declared for six months ending December 31, 1916

Deposits commence to draw interest from the first of each month

Moneys withdrawn before January 1 and July 1 will not be entitled to interest

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KINGSTON, N. Y., MAY 16, 1917.

Food gamblers and speculators find their proper classification as the Kaiser's allies, but Congress should do more than describe the status of these worthies. It is only by severely punitive legislation that their activities can be checked, and the country is patiently awaiting action at Washington. Such interests, which fatten upon their country's embarrassments in time of war, cannot be too harshly dealt with. While Congress has been delayed in taking action, it is plain that the grain exchanges are anxious to forestall any radical step on the part of the Government. Millers and traders have fixed a maximum price for wheat futures and have limited buying to the closing up of existing contracts—two steps which not so long ago would have been regarded as much an iridescent dream as "dollar wheat" itself. Even with these reforms, there is much to be done in the way of regulation of storage and distribution of foodstuffs, and Congress cannot ignore this need once the Army and Navy budget bills are disposed of.

The army bill, which has been agreed upon by both houses of Congress, not only gives power to draft civilians for military purposes but for work on the farms and in the other industries of the nation during the war. The bill empowers the President to "draft for partial military service persons engaged in the industries, including agriculture, found necessary to the maintenance of the military establishment, or the effective operation of the military forces, or the maintenance of national interest during the emergency." These statements are understood to mean nothing less than that, if the national interest requires, the President can draft a second 500,000 men (or more) for cultivating and harvesting the crops, and a third 500,000 men (or more) to man the other industries on which successful war must depend. Further, the President is empowered not only to raise two armies of 500,000 each by draft, but to draft such additional units as may be deemed necessary for the "maintenance of such forces" at their maximum strength.

The President may also employ the draft to keep at their maximum strength the regular army and the national guard, which latter is also called by the bill to the service of the country in the present war. And no one called, either to fight or to work, will be allowed to furnish a substitute. The provisions of the bill are complete and inescapable. Yet what we understand as militarism will not rule. The business of raising the new armies will be managed by civilians. All claims for exemption, for example, will be considered by local county boards and determined by these in association with district boards of review and appeal. These local boards will also decide whether men are best fitted for military or industrial service. Only the general rules of procedure will come from Washington.

A coffee broker stood on the steps of the Sub-Treasury building in Wall street the other day and, after expressing regret that he was well beyond the age limit for conscription, gave thanks that the Government had given him the opportunity to pay a 16 per cent tax on the excess profits of his business. It is such a spirit as this which characterized the offer of men of millions to work hand in hand with labor leaders in a sustained effort to bring about fullest cooperation between the Government, capital and labor for the efficient prosecution of the war. Gompers and Rockefeller are names not usually associated with unity of purpose and it has remained for patriotism to inspire men of wealth and leaders of the workers to join hands in common service of their country. It is through co-operation, and only through co-operation that problems affecting capital and labor are going to be worked out. That leaders in both fields are willing to get together and forget their differences during a National emergency means that our Government will not be embarrassed by the internal questions which have beset England at so many critical stages of the war, and that patriotism can still prevail with men over class considerations and group selfishness.

To robe or not to robe had long been a question with justices of the Supreme Court, until it was answered several years ago by the adoption of a dignified cut of gown by members of the bench in almost all of the judicial districts of the State. Robes are now worn by the judges sitting in several of the counties of this district, but Ulster still remains an exception. Whether the democratic atmosphere of our court room is responsible for this condition, or the somewhat primitive accommodations offered by the local temple of Justice are the cause, we do not know. It is not a matter of great moment either way. There has always been a dignified tone about the sessions of the Supreme Court, no matter whether the occupant of the bench was attired in a frock coat or an ordinary business suit of clothes. Dignity has never been slighted through the sartorial tastes of the judge. If the judges want to sport trailing robes in Ulster's ancient court room, let them do so. They might go further and fare worse by following precedent in the adoption of wigs, which still survive in British courts of justice, where our common law was first established.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

Wife—"Big checks for dresses will not be in demand this season." Husband—"Thank heaven!"—Puck.

He—"Didn't I hear that your son expects to be a veterinary?" She—"Why, no—he hasn't even enlisted, yet."—Judge.

Not to blame—"I understand the Grabitall estate is very large." Lawyer (apologetically)—"Yes, it is, but you see, I have had charge of it such a short time."—Life.

New Junior Partner—"Well, I've succeeded in settling that Hooper case, dad." Senior Partner—"What! Good heavens, boy, I gave you that case as an annuity."—Boston Transcript.

"Has Crimson Gulch changed since prohibition went into effect?" "Yes," replied Broncho Bob, "but there's enough fellers hangin' around with jes' naturally bad dispositions to make it seem like old times once in a while."—Washington Star.

She—"Well, not many policemen this warm weather would have done what the paper says a kind policeman did to the poor drunken man he found asleep on a doorstep." He—"What did the kind policeman do to the poor drunken man?" She—"The paper says he fanned him."—Baltimore American.

Morbid Miss—"The papers said that that film I saw today adequately screened goings on in the underworld, but I was bored to death through the whole thing." Discerning Dowager—"Maybe that's what the papers meant when they said it was "adequately screened," my dear."—Buffalo Express

His Strong Point.

"Is your husband much of a provider Malindy?"

"He jes' ain't nothin' else, ma'am. He gwine to git some new furniture providin' he gits de money he gwine to git de money providing' he go to work; he go to work providin' de job suits him. I never see such a providing' man in all mah days."—San Francisco Chronicle.

S'wonderful.

"My wife's a wonderful vocalist," bragged Jinks.

"Indeed!" remarked the sceptical friend.

"Yes," continued Jinks, warming to his work, "I've known her to hold her audience for hours—"

"What?" screamed the sceptic, "d'you mean to tell me—"

"After which," went on Jinks hurriedly, "she would lay it in its cradle and rock it to sleep!"—London Ideas.

Fair Terms.

"Laddie," said the provincial manager to the down-at-heel tragedian, "I'm in a hole. My chief star's left me, my folks are starving, and the town isn't in love wth me or the show one little bit. Tell me, will you come and play Hamlet?"

As it was the first offer he had had for 49 years, the old actor jumped at it.

"And about terms?" he asked. "How do you remunerate?"

"Well," answered the manager genially, "I'll give you a third of the vegetables."—London Ideas.

Anything She Wants.

Mother, nurse and baby were taking the air in the park. Mother was absorbed in an illustrated paper, and when baby began to cry peevishly she said without looking up:

"Give it her, nurse."

The crying went on, and mother said imperatively:

"Oh, give her what she wants. I can't stand the noise."

Suddenly the cries rose into a howl. The mother sat up and glared at the nurse.

"Why don't you do as I tell you?" she inquired angrily. "Give it her at once."

"She's got it, mum," said the nurse quietly, "It's a wasp."—London Answers.

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

May 16, 1897.—Death of Andrew Wacker in town of Ulster, aged 63 years.

Mrs. David Deyo died in the town of Hurley.

Death of Mrs. James H. Dumont in this city.

May 16, 1907.—Fifty-four cases of measles reported in city.

Those interested in reopening the D. & H. Canal held a banquet at the Mansion House.

Florence Kerr, widow of Dr. Jacob Chambers, died at Danbury, Conn.

Have Abiding Faith.

There are also those who, when they believe anything, don't care whether they know anything about it or not.—Atchison Globe.

The BACKYARD FARMER

By PROF. J. WILLARD BOLTE

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NATURE'S CARPETS.

If you have ever been in the bad lands of our own country, or the grassless plains of South America, you know the horrors of a land without a carpet. The slightest breath of wind sends clouds of strangling dust heavenward, and it seems to penetrate to every corner of the human body. The sun seems twice as hot as it does anywhere else, and its glare upon the poor baked earth is unbearable to the eye. Were these same grassless deserts covered with a greensward, they might be even pleasant places to live, for our impression of any place is largely governed by its appearance, and nothing gives the impression of comfort and plenty, so much as a wealth of growing green stuff.

The weather would not only seem cooler, but it would actually be cooler, for all growing plants cool the surrounding atmosphere by the large volume of water they give off into the air. Nature covers the naked soil with a green growing carpet to hide the unlovely spots from view and to temper the climate for us.

Upon the hills and in the valleys the trees and grasses grow thickly, and form a heavy carpet that holds back the torrential rains and melting snows of spring and fall, forcing them to proceed toward the sea with slower speed, thus preventing the rapid washing away of the surface soil of the farmlands near the hilly regions. Let these carpets be removed, as they have been in the southern states, and the loss in fertility from the adjacent farms will be more in one season than the total value of the trees whose removal made possible the washing away of this fertility. Think of what it would mean if all of the lumber cut in a single season were thrown into the Mississippi and washed out to sea, and then ponder over the fact that the rivers of this country are washing away fully the same value in plant food from hillside farm land yearly.

But let us direct our attention to the outward carpets around our own homes. The green lawns, the wild flowers, our own flower beds, the vegetable gardens, and all of the various things that nature uses to cover the earth with, have uses and meanings that few of us ever realize. We all appreciate the beauty of these carpets, but how many know that it is the growing green things that keep us healthy and free from disease in the humid regions?

Upon the surface of the earth falls a tremendous amount of dead vegetable and animal matter, and all manner of filth. This material decomposes rapidly in a moist, warm place, and if the products of its breaking up were permitted to escape unhindered they would soon make the region about them exceedingly unhealthy. This can best be exemplified by thinking of a large city going without having its garbage and sewage removed from the vicinity of the homes for five or six months.

Nature has provided against any such deadly conditions in the country by covering the soil with plants that eagerly absorb all of the products of decomposition, and the live plants eat up the dead plants and animals as rapidly as they die. Then more animals eat the live plants, and, dying in turn, are eaten themselves by other animals or live plants, depending upon the place and manner of their going. It is a sort of Endless chain that never ceases. Nature's carpets keep us healthy, as well as happy, and from the uncarpeted hills, the wealth of our descendants sweeps merrily away to the bottom of the sea.

Nautical Terms.

In Saxon bord means shield. In the Viking ships each warrior hung his shield on the side of the ship opposite him, and above the aperture for his oar. The Viking held the steer oar, which was fastened to the right-hand side of the stern (stern is itself a contraction of steer oar). The right-hand side of the ship thus became the steer side, and as bord came to mean the whole side where the shields or bords were hung, the right side came to be the steerboard (starboard) side and the lower or lurking side became larboard.

Had Been Too Generous.

A young couple were married a short time ago, and when the husband returned home from work the first week-end he gave his wife $8.

She merely said, "Thank you," and sniffed.

The second week he gave her $5, when she began to cry.

Her husband asked her what was the matter. His wife, still crying, said:

"N-nothing much."

"Oh," said the man, "I know what it is; I spoilt you from the first by giving you too much!"

Still on the Job.

"What is that army officer who had charge of the enlistments doing on sick leave?"

"Still working on his job."

"How's that?"

"He's recruiting his health."

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PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT

Use of Mineral Oil.

Dr. Le Tanneur contributes to the Paris Medical some practical points in the use of mineral oil in constipation. The oil, he says, is in no way digested or even modified by the juices of the stomach and intestines. It acts as a lubricant and nothing else, though it tends to heal abrasions of the intestinal wall caused by rough particles of food.

The New York Medical Journal says mineral oil should be taken either before breakfast or after dinner, two tablespoonfuls being a dose. Its use should be continued every day for at least a fortnight, when the bowels will continue to work naturally without it, for the mineral oil is in no sense a cathartic, but it will cure constipation.—Kingston Daily Freeman, February 17, 1917.

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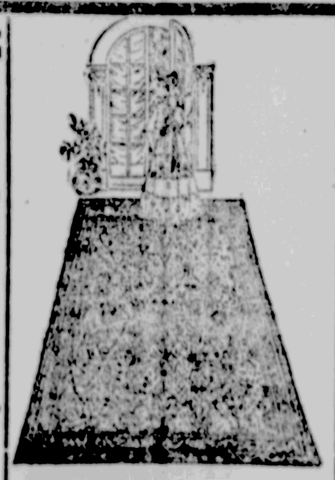

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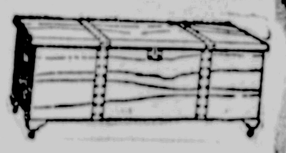

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Leaves Rhinecliff 7:15, 8:10, 9:30, 10:00, 10:45, 11:20 A. M.; 12:00 M.; 1:00, 1:45, 2:20, 2:55, 3:40, 4:25, 5:05, 5:55, 6:55 P. M.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—STATE OF NEW YORK, office of the state commission of highways, Albany, N. Y.—Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 30, laws of 1909, as amended by chapter 646, laws of 1911, and chapter 80, laws of 1913, sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at their office, No. 55 Lancaster street, Albany, N. Y., at one o'clock P. M. on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1917, for the repair of the following highways:

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Maps, plans, specifications and estimates may be seen and proposal forms obtained at the office of the commission in Albany, N. Y., and also at the office of Division Engineer B. H. Walt, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. (Columbus Institute, 11 Washington street).

The especial attention of bidders is called to "GENERAL INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS" in the itemized proposal, specifications and contract agreement.

Proposals for each road or contract must be presented in a separate sealed envelope, endorsed on the outside with the name and number of the road or contract for which the proposal is made. Each proposal must be accompanied by cash or a certified check payable to the order of the State Commission of Highways for an amount equal to at least five per cent of the amount of the proposal with such cash or check accompanies.

This cash or check will be held by the commission until the contract and bond are duly executed.

The successful bidder will be required to give a performance bond for fifty per cent of the contract, and a maintenance bond covering the wearing surface of all roads except waterbound macadam and cement concrete pavements for twenty per cent of the contract price of the items which comprise the wearing surface, such bonds to be executed by a surety company to be approved by the commission, or a bond secured by the deposit of collateral securities to be approved by the commission.

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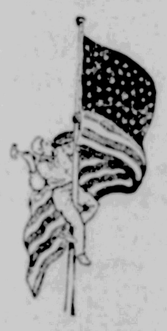

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Howard Talmage, who departed from his home in Middletown and came to Kingston a la blind baggage, and was later picked up by the police and held until his folks could come and get him, met a Good Samaritan when he was brought in to the sheriff's office. Howard, who said he left home because his folks whipped him, had evidently departed in a hurry as he had no stockings and was without a shirt, being clad only in trousers, Jersey and shoes. A man who had during his early youth experienced the feeling of wanderlust and had embarked upon a trip without his parents' consent, saw Howard's plight and bought a pair of stockings for the lad. Under the care of Jailer Seth Jocelyn, Howard was then given a bath and made presentable while awaiting the arrival of his folks, who were notified to come and take him home.

The story told by the Good Samaritan was similar to Howard's experience. He left Kansas City aboard a fast mail train which landed him in St. Paul and as he descended from the roof of the mail car he stepped into the hands of two policemen. His folks had missed him and notified the railroad authorities and he was immediately shipped home. Next morning he was safely back home his wanderings having been cut short by the police. Having experienced the dirt and cold of the blind baggage Pullman he felt sorry for Howard and so looked up the first store and made the necessary purchases.

SOUTH RONDOUT.

South Rondout, May 16.—Our pastor, Rev. George Mead, preached two powerful sermons on Sunday. The morning theme was: "They That Wait Upon the Lord Shall Renew Their Strength," and the evening theme was "Mother." The choir sang "My Mother's Bible."

The Ladies' Aid will give a supper in the basement of the church tonight from 5 o'clock till all are served, for the usual price. The menu will be: Baked beans, potato salad, boiled ham, rye bread, wheat bread and cake. Ice cream will also be on sale.

Henry Meyers of New York is spending some time with his wife and son, Roland.

We are all glad to hear at this writing that Edison Marchant has returned home from the Wauna Sanitarium, and that he will soon be able to mingle with us again. He has surely been missed in our church and Sunday school.

Mrs. Hicks and daughter, Bessie, and granddaughter, Helen Sheely, of Marbletown spent Sunday at the home of her son, Clifford Hicks.

Miss Antoinette Hyde has returned to New York after spending a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Liberty Hyde.

Miss Helen Clair left Saturday for New York, where she will visit her sisters, Mrs. Oliver Lund and Mrs. Conde Lawsing.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cole and daughter, Kathryn, left Monday for Haines Falls to get their boarding house, the Sunset View, ready for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Conde Lawsing motored from Kiskatom to Connelly on Saturday morning and called on her mother, Mrs. Henry Clair, on their way home to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haines left Saturday for Haines Falls and took their niece, Antoinette Cole, with them.

Little Ruth Hamilton is not confined to her home with the measles.

Rensselaer Munson has returned to New York after spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clair.

The steamer Ida, of the Saugerties line, is at Hiltebrant's shipyard for repairs.

Rev. Edwin Travers of Germantown called on his aunt, Mrs. Amanda Hotaling, and other friends on Monday.

Fred Biel of Syracuse spent Sunday with his wife.

Red Cross Entertainment.

Those in charge of the play, "Off for the Trenches," to be given for the benefit of the Red Cross, at the high school auditorium on Friday evening of this week, wish to announce an added attraction in that the Musicians' Union has generously offered to contribute music for the entertainment, which will add materially to the pleasure of the evenng. James Tinnie will also sing several Scotch songs, appearing in costume. Tickets, which are only 25 cents, are selling well, but it should be remembered that the high school auditorium will hold a large number of people, and as many Kingstonians as can arrange to do so should avail themselves of the pleasure and privilege of attending this play.

Time-Savers Harm Gardens.

Mrs. C. B. O'Reilly, who has transformed a tract of land on Andrew street into a garden plot, is annoyed by trespassers who deliberately cut across her property, causing damage thereby. The police will probably take steps to prevent such trespass hereafter, complaints of a similar nature having been received from other sections of the city.

Ascension Day Services.

Ascension Day services will be held at the Spring Street German Lutheran Church on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

LANDLORD GIVEN JUDGMENT.

Dr. Connelly Wins Suit Against Samuel Auster Before Judge Jenkins.

Judge Jenkins has handed down a decision in the case of Dr. William H. Connelly, appellant, against Samuel Auster, respondent, reversing a judgment of the city court rendered by William D. Brinner, Jr., city judge, in favor of the defendant. The action was brought to recover for rent and Judge Jenkins finds that the plaintiff is entitled to it. Arthur C. Connelly appeared for the appellant and there was no appearance by the defendant.

Judge Jenkins's opinion is as follows:

This is an action for rent for the month of May, 1916.

By a "landlord and tenant agreement" the appellant leased unto the respondent No. 137 Franklin street, in the city of Kingston, for a term of one year, for the sum of $25 per month The landlord's agreement was signed by the landlord and the tenant's by the tenant. The respondent paid rent for the month of May. On or about the first day of June he moved off the premises. His defense is surrender and acceptance. Undoubtedly the tenant attempted to surrender the premises. There is no act or agreement in writing which amounts to an acceptance by the landlord.

I hold that where there is an agreement in writing between a landlord and tenant, this agreement cannot be modified by parole unless both parties have acted under the new parole agreement. Here, there is a written lease claimed to have been cancelled by oral agreement. The landlord denies that he ever entered into such an oral agreement. To hold that a written agreement may be pushed aside in this way is to destroy the purpose for which such agreement is entered into and abrogate the rule that agreements in writing can not be modified by parole evidence. Of course if both parties agreed to cancel the lease and both had done some act under that agreement, the result would have been different. There being no evidence at all to support the judgment in the view I have taken, it must be reversed.

Judgment reversed with costs.

AD. VON HOLTZENDORFF

GERMAN ADMIRAL SAID TO HAVE BEEN REPLACED.

Admiral von Holtzendorff, of the German navy, who, according to reports from Holland and Scandinavian countries, has been replaced. Admiral von Holtzendorf occupied a position close to Grand-Admiral von Tirpitz when that official was in power.

CHICHESTER.

Chichester, May 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew DuBois spent Sunday out of town.

Miss Bessie Bennett spent the week end at her home here.

Mrs. George Chase is visiting out of town.

Miss Laura Grant spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ormond Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Everett of Lanesville are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bush.

Miss Alta DuBois went to Kingston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Low of Weehawken are visiting relatives in this place.

Mrs. Reuben Davis, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

Arthur Kahler, who has been employed at Schenectady, is working here again.

OLIVE BRIDGE.

Olive Bridge, May 16.—Miss Jennie Crispell is spending a few days in Kingston with her aunt, Mrs. Jennie Hoffman.

Miss Emma Palen, who has been in Kingston under the care of Dr. Kemble for blood poison, has returned home.

Miss Orpha Bishop left for Mohonk Lake on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Locke of Cottekill visited her brothers, Martin, Edward and George Crispell, on Sunday.

William Christiana is ill.

Oren Crispell and James Barney started on a trip to Chicago by automobile on Monday.

The Misses Hazel and Grace Hogan, Catharine Crispell and Mrs. Alton Phipps called on Ruth and Mildred Trowbridge Monday afternoon.

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Originator of Fund for Flag and Staff on Academy Green to be Chief Figure in Interesting Patriotic Ceremony on Memorial Day.

Miss Dorothy Freeman, originator of the flag fund which bears her name, will unfurl the flag, which with its staff was realized through this fund, on Kingston Academy Green on Memorial Day at noon. The letter of invitation sent Miss Freeman and the reply are as follows:

Kingston, May 14, 1907.
Miss Dorothy Freeman, City.

At a meeting of the subcommittee on instruction of the Committee of Defense, it was voted unanimously to invite you to unfurl the Dorothy Freeman American flag at the Academy Green on Memorial Day, at 12 o'clock noon.

Very Respectfully Yours,
IRA BRITT, Sec.

The reply is as follows:

Dear Mr. Britt, Sec.

Thanking you, I accept the honor of unfurling the flag on K. A. Green on Decoration Day. I thank you for bestowing this honor upon me and always hope to be equal to any request concerning my flag, my country and humanity.

Devotedly,
DOROTHY FREEMAN.

MR. UPDEGRAFF'S NEW NOVEL.

A Bit of Ulster County Color Figures in "Second Youth."

An Ulster county genius once traced the source of all evil to the mince pie and supported his indictment by a wealth of testimony as to the pain and suffering imposed upon the American constitution through the overtaxing of the digestion due to indulgence in this popular form of pastry. But as in most cases where toxins exist, beneficial anti-bodies are to be found, it is probably so with pies, at least with those of the blueberry variety served at the station counter in the West Shore restaurant in Kingston. A wedge of such pie marks the turning point in the career of the hero of a new work of fiction, just issued by Harpers', "Second Youth," by Allan Updegraff, an author well known in the literary world and in Woodstock as well, where he is a member of the colony of summer residents. The blueberry pie and Ulster county scenery which furnishes a setting for the concluding chapter are the chief bits of local color in the book, the pie marking the turning point in the romance of Roland Francis, a silk counter salesman possessed of a rare combination of diffidence, charm and absence of humor.

The story deals with the life of a clerk of middle age and the consequences of a chance encounter with a feminine customer who, in emulation of her husband's penchant for pursuing sales girls, tries a flirtation with Francis. The resultant awakening of the hero and his further adventures in life furnish a continuous and diverting series of encounters with a miscellaneous assortment of females, to say nothing of the broadening of his outlook on life, and combine to make the volume one difficult to lay aside until completed by the reader, which is a good deal more than can be said truthfully of the average modern novel. Mr. Francis is somewhat of a new character in fiction although certain of his peculiarities remind us of some better known creatures of a famous novelist but the lightness of touch and the downright humor exhibited in the descriptions of the entanglements in which this rather spireless store counter Don Quixote becomes involved make the relation of the same most entertaining.

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Circles of Mercy Will be Glad to Collect It.

The women of the Circles of Mercy have carefully mapped out a plan for the collecting of old newspapers, magazines and waste paper, to be sold for the purpose of raising a fund with which the circles may purchase materials for the making of the soldiers' kits, recently mentioned in The Freeman. The plan is this:—Mrs. John D. Schoonmaker, chairman of the committee will furnish the use of an auto truck, beginning the coming Saturday, to collect the papers from the various households, and the Boy Scouts will assist in the work. Certain sections of the city will be visited on certain days. Saturday will be the first day whereon the papers will be collected, and all householders having newspapers, magazines or waste paper which they are willing to contribute to this cause, and living on Albany avenue, from the city limits, in the entire length of the avenue; on Maiden Lane, on Clinton avenue and on Fair street, are asked to have them ready on Saturday. They are further asked to tie the newspapers in one bundle; magazines in another; and to have the waste paper in bags, boxes or some other receptacle. Then they are asked to place the same on their front porches or outside the front of their houses that they may be collected with the least waste of time. Six Boy Scouts will assist in gathering in the packages from the houses to the truck, and the hours for collection will be from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., but the same section will not be gone over twice in the same day, so that all persons will make their gift doubly appreciated by having the papers ready for collection by 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

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HUGO SPEAKER IN SULLIVAN COUNTY

Autoists as a Whole are Assets to State, Secretary Says, and Tells Liberty and Monticello Folks of Growth of Motor Traffic.

Francis M. Hugo, secretary of state, spoke at both Liberty and Monticello Tuesday evening, May 15, addressing the members of the Sullivan County Automobile Club at the former place and the Community Club at the latter. The major portion of Mr. Hugo's talk at Liberty was devoted to the automobile, its enormous increase in this state and its ever growing importance as a factor in the social and business world. In his opening remarks, Secretary Hugo spoke of the functions of a wide-awake automobile club, of first securing improved highways and then in seeing that they were properly maintained, and sanctioning proper legislation—legislation not of the one-sided variety, but of a type that is beneficial to the motorist, to the pedestrian and to the public in general.

"The responsibility of the automobilist increases with every car that is registered," said Mr. Hugo. "There are as many types of motorists as there are cars today. We have the careless one who drives through the country at a break neck speed endangering the life of every person he meets; we have the tpye, the worst of the lot, the man who attempts to pilot his car while in a more or less intoxicated condition, and I am thankful to say right here that his numbers are daily becoming less through the imposition of stiff fines, and I only wish that they might be even more severe."

"And then we have the other sort, the kind that we are proud of, tens of thousands of them, the automobilist who drives at a moderate speed, enjoys the wonderful scenery for which this state is so justly famous, and gets the fullest measure of pleasure from his car, respecting the rights of others whether motorist or pedestrian. The automobile clubs of this state are today doing a wonderful work in discouraging the reckless driver and encouraging those of the type last mentioned, also in concentrating their efforts towards increasing our state highways, one of the biggest assets that any commonwealth can have, no matter whether you view it from an industrial, an agricultural, economic or pleasure standpoint."

Secretary Hugo made reference to the tremendous increase in the motor vehicles of this state, going back to 1901 when 954 cars were registered as compared with 295,000 today, with receipts to the secretary of state's office of over $3,000,000, with indications that the four million dollar mark will be passed before the end of the present year. Mr. Hugo called the attention of his listeners to the fact that every cent of this vast amount is being used in bettering the state's highways, except that portion which under the Brown law reverts to New York city and becomes a part of the general fund of that municipality.

"Reliable statistics tell us that only 15 per cent of the deliveries in our business world today is made by the railroad and the steamship, the other 85 per cent falls to the motor vehicle and to the horse," said Mr. Hugo, "so that no stretch of the imagination is necessary to see the important place which the motor vehicle fills in the present day business world."

In conclusion Secretary Hugo declared that it was the duty of every motorist to associate himself with some automobile club, a duty to his fellow motorist, to his community and to the public. He said that the whole situation resolved itself eventually to a better citizenship, a word which he said was fraught with far more meaning to the average American, to the community, the state and the nation than ever before because today the situation was striking straight from the shoulder and bringing home to everyone the obligation of true citizenship.

In speaking to members of the Community Club, Secretary Hugo made patriotism the predominating feature of his talk. At the outset, he said that it was the biggest proposition in this country today, a country different in many respects from any other in the world, the melting pot of a score of different nations amalgamated into one of many millions. Mr. Hugo referred to the manner by which these nations have become so closely fused, the church, the public schools and the political systems each playing its part.

"Today we find all nations gathered under the Star Spangled Banner, a united America, while we are busy in taking an inventory of our resources, industrially, economically and from an agricultural viewpoint so that we may better know our own true preparedness. From it all a new Americanism is being born, one that finds expression in community pride and one that in its conclusion will result in America being more firmly cemented than ever before as it takes the leading place at the council table of the world."

STONE RIDGE.

Stone Ridge, May 15.—There will be an entertainment in the Grange Hall on Friday evening, May 18, given by the young people of High Falls for the benefit of the Stone Ridge Red Cross. After the entertainment dancing. Music by Steve Miller. Admission 25 cents.

There will be an illustrated lecture in the Reformed Church on the work in the Kentucky Mountains. Everybody is invited to attend.

The funeral of Arthur Oakley was held from the family residence on Tuesday afternoon.

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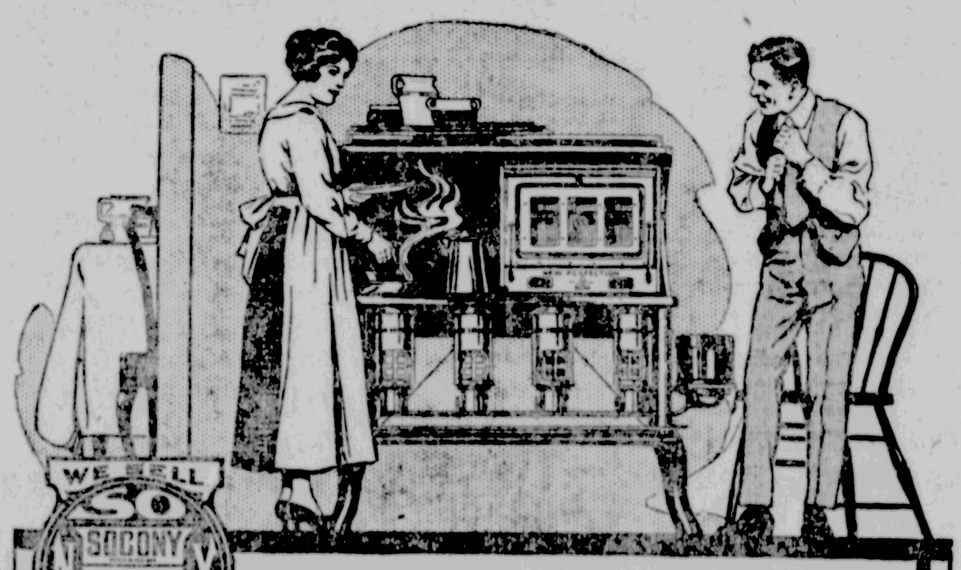

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COUNTY COURT NOTICE.

The People of the State of New York, to the Sheriff of the County of Ulster, Greeting:—You are hereby commanded to summon the several persons who shall have been drawn in your county, to serve as jurors, at a County Court, to be held in and for your county, at the Court House, in the City of Kingston, in said county, on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1917, to appear thereat, to bring before the said court all prisoners then being in the jail of your county, together with all processes and proceedings any way concerning them in your hands, and make proclamation in manner prescribed by law, notifying all persons bound to appear at the said court by recognizance or otherwise, to appear thereat, and requiring all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, and other officers who have taken recognizance for the appearance of any person at such court, or who have taken any inquisition, or the examination of any prisoner or witness, to return such recognizances, inquisitions and examinations to the court at the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting.

Witness, Hon. James Jenkins, Esquire, County Judge of Ulster County, at the Court House in Kingston, this 30th day of April, 1917.

F. G. TRAVER,
District Attorney.

PROCLAMATION.—State of New York, Ulster County, ss.: The undersigned, Sheriff of said County, in conformity to a precept in this behalf directed and delivered, by this his proclamation, requires all persons bound to appear at the County Court, to be held in and for the said County of Ulster, at Kingston, in said county, on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, by recognizance or otherwise, to appear thereat. And he requires all Justices of the Peace, Coroners and other officers, who have taken any recognizance for the appearance of any person at said court, or who have taken any inquisition, or the examination of any person or witness, to return such recognizances, inquisitions and examinations to the said court at the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting.—Signed at the sheriff's office in said county April 30, 1917.

E. T. SHULTIS,
Sheriff of Ulster County.

PROCLAMATION.

The People of the State of New York, by the grace of God free and Independent: To the sheriff of the county of Ulster, Greeting:—We command you that you summon to be and appear at a term of the supreme court of the state of New York, to be held by a justice of the supreme court, at the court house, in Kingston, in and for the county of Ulster, on the 1st Monday of May, 1917, the several persons who shall have been drawn to serve as grand and petit jurors at the said court. And we further command you to bring before the said court all prisoners then being in the jail of the said county of Ulster, together with all the processes and proceedings any way concerning them in your hands. And we further command you to make proclamation in the manner prescribed by law, notifying all persons bound to appear at the said court, by recognizance or otherwise, to appear thereat, and requiring all justices of the peace, coroners and other officers who have taken any recognizance for the appearance of any person at the said court, or who have taken any inquisition, or the examination of any prisoner or witness, to return such recognizances, inquisitions and examinations to the said court on the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting, and have then and there this precept.

Witness, Hon. Wesley P. Howard, one of the Justices of our Supreme Court, at the Court House, in Kingston, in said County, the 10th day of April, 1917.

F. G. TRAVER,
District Attorney.

In pursuance to the above precept, I hereby make proclamation that a term of the supreme court of the state of New York and jail delivery, will be held at the court house in Kingston, in and for the County of Ulster, on the 1st Monday of May next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day; and all persons who will prosecute against persons confined in the jail of said county are required to be then and there present, to proceed as may be just; and all persons bound to appear at the said court, by recognizance or otherwise, are required to appear thereat; and all justices of the peace, coroners or other officers who may have taken any recognizance for the appearance of any person at the said court, or who may have taken any inquisition, or the examination of any prisoner or witness, are required to return such recognizance, inquisition and examination to the said court, at the opening thereof, and on the first day of the sitting thereof, and to be then and there present with their rolls and records, indictments and remembrances, to do those things which to their offices pertain.

Kingston, N. Y., April 10, 1917.

EDGAR T. SHULTIS,
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Food gamblers and speculators find their proper classification as the Kaiser's allies but Congress should do more than describe the status of these worthies It is only by severely punitive legislation that their activities can be checked and the country is patiently awaiting action at Washington Such interest which fatten upon their country's embarrassments in time of war cannot be too harshly dealt with While Congress has been delayed in taking action it is plain that the grain exchanges are anxious to forestall any radical step on the part of the Government Millers and traders have fixed a maximum price for wheat futures and have limited buying to the closing up of existing contracts—two steps which not so long ago would have been regarded as much in fitting as dollar wheat Its if Even with these reforms there is much to be done in the way of regulation of storage and distribution of foodstuffs and Congress cannot ignore this need once the Army and Navy budget bills are disposed of

The army bill which has been agreed upon by both houses of Congress not only gives power to draft civilians for military purposes but for work on the farms and in the other industries of the nation during the war The bill empowers the President to draft for partial military service persons engaged in the industries including agriculture found necessary to the maintenance of the military establishment or the effective operation of the military forces or the maintenance of national interest during the emergency

These statements are understood to mean nothing less than that if the national interest requires the President can draft a second 500 000 men (or more) for cultivating and harvesting the crops and a third 00 000 men (or more) to man the other industries on which successful war [illegible] The President is empowered not only to raise two armies of 500 000 each by draft but to draft such additional units as may be deemed necessary for the maintenance of such forces at their maximum strength

The President may also employ the draft to keep at their maximum strength the regular army and the national guard which latter is also called by the bill to the service of the country in the present war And no one called either to fight or to work will be allowed to furnish a substitute The provisions of the bill are complete and inescapable Yet what we understand as militarism will not rule The business of raising the new armies will be managed by civilians All claims for exemption for example will be considered by local boards and determined by those in association with district boards of review and appeal These local boards will also decide whether men are best fitted for military or industrial service Only the general rules of procedure will come from Washington

A coffee broker stood on the steps of the Sub Treasury building in Wall str of the other day and after expressing regret that he was well beyond the age limit for conscription gave thanks that the Government had given him the opportunity to pay a 10 per cent tax on the excess profits of his business It is such a spirit as this which characterized the offer of men of millions to work hand in hand with labor leaders in a sustained effort to bring about fullest co operation between the Government capital and labor for the efficient prosecution of the war Gompers and Rockefeller are names no longer associated with units of purpose and it has remained for patriotism to inspire men of wealth and leaders of the workers to join hands in common service of their country It is through co-operation and only through co-operation that problems affecting capital and labor are going to be worked out That leaders in both fields are willing to agree upon and forge their differences during a National emergency means that our Government will not be embarrassed by the internal questions which have beset England across many critical stages of the war and that patriotism can still prevail with men over class considerations and group selfishness

To robe or not to robe had long been a question with justices of the Supreme Court until it was answered several years ago by the adoption of a dignified cut of gown by members of the bench to almost all of the judicial districts of the State Robes are now worn by the judges sitting in several of the counties of this district but Ulster still remains an exception Whether the democratic atmosphere of our court room is responsible for this condition or the somewhat primitive accommodations offered by the local temple of Justice are the cause we do not know It is not a matter of great moment either way There has always been a dignified tone about the sessions of the Supreme Court no matter whether the occupant of the bench was attired in a frock coat or an ordinary business suit of clothes Dignity has not [illegible] slighted through the sartorial tastes of the judge If the judges want to sport trailing robes in Ulster's ancient court room let them do so They might go further I feel sorry to follow precedent in the adoption of wigs which still survive in British courts of justice where our common law was first established

LITTLE LAUGHS

Wife— Big checks for dresses will not be in demand this season Husband Thank heaven —Puck

He Didn't I hear that your son expected to be a veterinary? She— Why no he hasn't even enlisted yet Judge

Not to blame— I understand the Civil Service is very large I'm very apologetically Yes it is but not so large but that a clever chap of your short time —Life

New Junior Partner Well I've noticed that Hooper case did Senior Partner— What! Good heavens I've given you that case as an annuity —Boston Transcript

If a Crimson Gulch hanged since prohibition went into effect Yes replied Bronco Bob but there's enough killers hangin around with just natural born dispositions to make it seem like old times once in a while Washington Star

She— Well not many policemen this warm weather would have done what the paper says a certain one did to the poor drunken man he found asleep on a doorstep He— What did the kind policeman do to the poor drunk man She— The paper says he fanned him —Baltimore American

Mortimer Miss The papers said that the film I saw today adequately screened goings on in the underworld but I was bored to death through the whole thing Dismissing Downer Marie that's what the papers meant when they said it was adequately screened indeed —Buffalo Express

His Strong Point

Is your husband much of a provider Mahmey"

He jes' ain't nothin' else [illegible] furniture pianer he's [illegible] he kin to git de money providin' he kin to work he kin to work to [illegible] such a providin' man in all dat says —San Francisco Chronicle

Wonderful

My wife's a wonderful vocalist bragged Jinks

Indeed remarked the sceptic friend

She continued Jinks warming to his work I've known her to hold her audience's for hours—

What screamed the sceptic down tenderly cellar

After which went on Jinks hurriedly she would lay it in its cradle and rock it to sleep —London Ideas

Daily Terms

Daddie and the provincial manner to the grown up boarding [illegible] Daddie Uncle Sir charged I'll [illegible] my following statement into the [illegible] in love with me or I'll show me little bit [illegible] will you come and play Hamlet"

As it was the first offer he had had for 43 years the old actor jumped at it

And about terms he asked How do you remunerate"

Well answered the manager candidly I'll give you a third of the vegetables —London Ideas

Anything She Wants

Mother nurse and baby were taking the air in the park Mother was absorbed in an illustrated paper and when baby began to cry peculiarly she [illegible] how about looking up

Give it her nurse

[illegible] and other and imperatively

Oh she'll cry what she wants I can't stand the noise

Suddenly the cry rose into a howl The mother sat up and glared at the nurse

Why don't you do as I tell you she inquired angrily Give it her at once

She's got it mum said the nurse quietly It's a wasp —London Answers

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO

May 16 1897 —Death of Andrew Wacker in town of Ulster aged 63 years

Mrs David Dove died in the town of Hurley

Death of Mrs James H Dumont in this city

May 16 1907 —Fifty four cases of measles reported in city

This evening the Delaware & Hudson Canal held a banquet at the Mansion House

Florence born [illegible] of D Jacob Canfield died in Danbury Conn

Have Abiding Faith

There are also those who when they believe anything don't care whether they know anything about it or not—Atchison Globe

The BACKYARD FARMER
By PROF. J. WILLARD DOLE

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NATURE'S CARPETS

If you have ever been in the bad lands of our own country or the grassless plains of South America you know the horrors of a land without a carpet The slightest breath of wind sends clouds of strangling dust heavenward and it seems to penetrate to every corner of the human body The sun seems twice as hot as it does anywhere else and its glare upon the poor baked earth is unbearable to the eye Were these same grassless deserts covered with a green and they might be even pleasant places to live, for our impression of any place is largely governed by its appearance, and nothing gives the impression of comfort and plenty so much as a wealth of growing, green stuff

The weather would not only seem cooler, but it would actually be cooler for all growing plants cool the surrounding atmosphere by the large volume of water that give off into the air Nature covers the naked soil with a green growing carpet to hide the unsightly spots from view and to temper the climate for us

Upon the hills and in the valleys the trees and grasses grow thickly and form a heavy carpet that holds back the torrential rains and melting snows of spring and fall forcing them to proceed toward the sea with slower speed thus preventing the rapid washing away of the surface soil of the farmlands near the hilly regions Let these carpets be removed or it were [illegible] in the southern states and the loss in fertility from the adjacent farms will be more in one season than the total value of the trees whose removal made possible the washing away of this fertility Think of what it would mean if all of the lumber cut in a single season were thrown into the Mississippi and washed out to sea and then ponder over the fact that the rivers of this country are washing away fully the same value in plant food from hillside farm land yearly

But let us direct our attention to the outward carpets around our own homes The green lawns the wild flowers our own flower beds the vegetable gardens and all of the various things that nature uses to cover the earth with have uses and meanings that few of us ever realize We all appreciate the beauty of these carpets but how many know that it is the growing green things that keep us healthy and free from disease in the humid regions?

Upon the surface of the earth falls a tremendous amount of dead vegetable and animal matter and all manner of filth This material decomposes rapidly in a moist warm place and if the products of its breaking up were permitted to escape unhindered they would soon make the region about them exceedingly unhealthy This can best be exemplified by thinking of a large city going without having its garbage and sewage removed from the vicinity of the homes for five or six months

Nature has provided against any such deadly conditions in the country by covering the soil with plants that eagerly absorb all of the products of decomposition and the live plants eat up the dead plants and animals as rapidly as they die Then more animals eat the live plants and dying in turn are eaten themselves by other animals or the plants depending upon the place and manner of their going It is a sort of Endless chain that never ceases Natures carpets keep us healthy as well as happy and from the uncarpeted hills the wealth of our descendants sweeps merrily away to the bottom of the sea.

Nautical Terms

In Saxon bord means shield In the Viking ships each warrior hung his shield on the side of the ship opposite him and above the aperture for his oar The Viking held the steer oar which was fastened to the right hand side of the stern hence it itself a contraction of steer oar) The right hand side or the ship thus became the steer side and as it came to mean the whole side where the shields or boards were hung the right side came to be the sea-board (starboard) side and the lower or hurling side became larboard

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Isn't she glad asked her what was the matter His wife still crying said

Nothing much"

Oh said the man I know what it is I spoilt you from the first by giving you too much

Still on the Job

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"Still working on his job"

"How's that"

"He's recruiting his health."

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The New York Medical Journal says mineral oil should be taken either before breakfast or after dinner two tablespoonfuls being a dose [illegible] day for at least a fortnight when the bowels will continue to work naturally without it for the mineral oil is in no sense a cathartic but it will cure constipation —Kingston Daily Freeman February 17 1917

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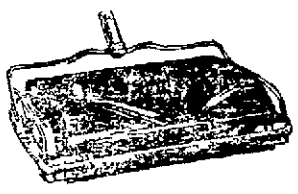

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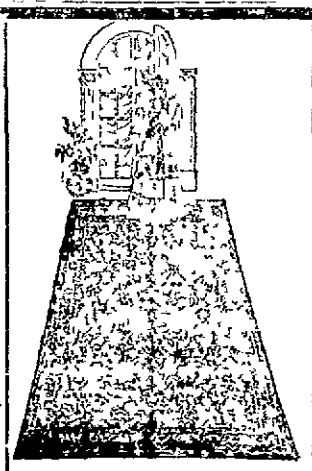

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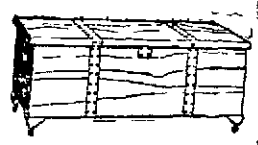

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The cash or check will be held by the commission until the contract and bond are duly executed

The successful bidder will be required to give a performance bond for [illegible] per cent of the contract and a supplemental bond covering the wearing surface of roads except waterbound macadam and cement concrete pavements for [illegible] per cent of the contract price of the [illegible] which contains the wearing surface Such bonds to be executed by a surety company to be approved by the commissioner or to be deposited by the bidder of [illegible] securities to be approved by the commission

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids

EDWIN DUFFEE Commissioner

T J WORDEN Secretary

NATIONAL GUARD FIRST IN FRANCE

That is Belief in Connection With Apportionment Orders—Nearly Quarter Million Men Needed to Bring Militia Up to War Strength.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16—The militia bureau of the war department today completed the apportionment by states of National Guard units necessary to bring the state troops up to the maximum war strength of 424,800 men authorized in the national defense act.

The apportionment was made on the basis of 800 men to each senator and representative in congress. New York leads with a total allotment of 56,000 men, out of which 31,500 are to be available for National Guard army organizations. The remaining 4,500 is the navy's portion for use as naval militia. Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada and Wyoming have the smallest allotment—2,400 men each.

The possibility of National Guard units being among the first troops ordered to French soil for service in the trenches is seen in the orders issued by Brigadier General Mann, chief of the militia bureau, that "completion of cavalry units is not desired." The instructions to adjutants-general also state that coast artillery, infantry, field artillery, engineers and field hospital and ambulance corps are to be recruited first in order named. The present units of National Guard, the instructions assert, are to be recruited up to war strength before new units apportioned each state are organized.

The present strength of the National Guard, the militia bureau figures show, is in round numbers 186,000. The war strength of the present organizations is 329,000. Thus 142,000 men are needed to equip the present organizations for work in the field, and 238,000 men must volunteer or be drafted to place the guard at the maximum figure of 424,800 authorized by congress.

The National Guard of the nation has been divided into sixteen divisions with the following state allotments by divisions:

Maine 4,800, (600 for naval militia); New Hampshire, 3,200, (400 naval militia); Massachusetts 14,400, (1,800 naval militia); Connecticut 5,600, (700 naval militia); Rhode Island 4,000, (500 naval militia); Vermont 3,200.

New York 36,000, (4,500 naval militia).

Pennsylvania 30,400, (1,000 naval militia).

Louisiana 8,000, (600 naval militia).

California 10,400, (1,300 naval militia); Utah 3,200; Arizona 2,400; Colorado 4,800; New Mexico 2,400; Nevada 2,400.

Washington 5,600, (700 naval militia); Oregon 4,000, (500 naval militia).

Montana 3,200; Idaho 3,200.

Wyoming 2,400.

New Jersey 11,200, (1,400 naval militia); Delaware 2,400; Maryland 6,400, (700 naval militia); District of Columbia 800 for naval militia; Virginia 9,600.

North Carolina 9,600, (450 naval militia); South Carolina 7,200, (500 naval militia); Tennessee 9,600.

Alabama 9,600; Georgia 11,200; Florida, 4,800, (700 naval militia).

Michigan 12,000, (1,000 naval militia); Wisconsin 10,400.

Illinois 23,200, (2,900 naval militia).

Minnesota 9,600, (1,200 naval militia); North Dakota 4,000; South Dakota 4,000; Iowa 10,400, Nebraska 6,400.

Kansas 8,000; Missouri 14,400, (300 naval militia).

Texas 16,000, (500 naval militia); Oklahoma 8,000.

Ohio 19,200, (2,400 naval militia); West Virginia 6,400.

Kentucky 10,400.

Indiana 12,000.

Arkansas 7,200; Mississippi 8,000.

May Mental Clinics.

The regular monthly mental clinic will be held on Friday, May 18, at the office of the county agent, 74 John street, Kingston, from ten to twelve and from one to four. All people who are interested in their own mental condition or mental condition of relatives or friends are earnestly requested to call and receive expert advice from physicians from the Middletown State Hospital.

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DIAMOND RING IS A CONTEST PRIZE

Young Ladies Entered in Feature of Odd Fellows' Carnival—Athletic Field to be Scene of Amusement Offerings.

Fair contestants are being enlisted in the ladies' popularity contest which is to feature the Odd Fellows' carnival to be given in Kingston the week of May 21 and initial announcement of the standing will be made Thursday. Entrants are Miss Elizabeth McCullough of the Rose-Gorman-Rose store, Miss Helen Brice of the Stuyvesant Hotel and Miss Klein of the L. B. Van Wagenen Company. The prizes are a diamond ring, a bracelet and a LaValliere.

There will also be a boys' contest for a bicycle together with other attractions in connection with the carnival. The Krause Shows which will hold forth on Athletic Field for carnival week are spoken of as a clean and entertaining combination of attractions. Miss Minnie Meyers, high diving girl, is one of the free attractions on the program and Odd Fellows generally are active in working for the success of the carnival.

SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, May 16.—Mrs. Irving Russell and Miss Lulu Eckert of John street, leave Thursday for a visit with relatives in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutger Hurry, who have been spending the past wek at their summer home, Clifton, on Barclay Heights, have returned to New York city.

Mrs Claude Manning of Freeport, L. I., is a guest at the Maxwell House.

John Moran of Main street, is in New York city.

Mrs. James Reynolds is critically ill at her home on Second street.

Mrs. Mac Leer of Albany is visiting her daughter on Jane street.

Hilary Harris of John street is in New York city.

Confirmation services were held in St. Mary's Church this morning at 11:30 o'clock. Bishop Hayes of New York city officiated at the ceremonies.

George Seamon of John street has purchased a Franklin touring car.

Miss Alice Phillips of Ulster avenue has entered the employ of Candyland, as saleslady.

Theodore Eckhoff of Partition street, is the new dispenser at the Maxwell House Cafe.

Finley At Madison Barracks.

Another Kingston boy who has been ordered to report at Madison Barracks, Sacket Harbor, N. Y., is David Finley, a son of Mr. and Mrs. David Finley of Hunter street. Mr. Finley was a student at Cornell University, and he sent a telegram to his parents Saturday evening that he had received his commission as captain and was ordered to report at the barracks.

Canadian Coal Miners Strike.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Montreal, May 16.—As the result of a strike of 6,000 workers no coal is being mined in western Canada today. The United Mine Workers of Alberta were called out yesterday when their demand for a 25 per cent increase in wages was refused. The operators offered an advance of 15 per cent.

Path to Glory.

"No path of flowers leads to glory."
—J de la Fontaine.

COMPANY M LOSES 24 MEN

Captain Meagher of Company M felt much aggrieved Tuesday evening when he was forced by orders from division headquarters to hand discharges to 24 members if the local command, who had dependents. These men were the backbone of the organization, many holding warrants as non-commissioned officers and among them were men who had served a full enlistment, besides being expert shots.

By losing these men Company M will be required to furnish at least 75 more men for the line. Beginning Thursday further efforts to stimulate recruiting will be put in force by the officers and men, to bring in the men needed to fill the ranks of the local guard company.

LEIBHARDT.

Leibhardt, May 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Van Leuven of Krumville spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jane Quick.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chrissey of Napanoch called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Quick Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Boice and Mrs. Lockwood of Kerhonkson visited at Peter Barnhart's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford of Mombaccus, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Wynkoop and two children of Tabasco, Mrs. M. Avery, Mrs. Bogart and Roy Avery and friend of West Hurley visited at the home of Henry DeWitt on Sunday.

Mrs. Vernon Barnhart and son, Peter, spent Saturday night and Sunday at her former home in Tataukunk.

Mrs. Norman Quick visited friends at Napanoch and Wawarsing Saturday and Sunday.

Henry DeWitt and Grover Smith have been doing some work for Mrs. Joseph Soleberg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hornbeck and daughter, Beulah, and Mrs. Mary J. Quick of Whitfield called at Herman Quick's Sunday morning.

Saugerties Property Sold.

Augustus Shufeldt, as referee, in mortgage foreclosure proceedings brought by Alois Kiel, has sold the Oscar Krieger property at Shultis Corners in the town of Saugerties to the plaintiff in the action for $1,200. Benjamin Rowe appeared for the plaintiff.

Wonders of Jupiter.

If Jupiter were cut up into 1,300 pieces each would be larger than the earth. All the planets together do not weigh half as much as Jupiter. Only the sun surpases Jupiter in size. A year on the planet Jupiter is equal to twelve of our years. Jupiter rotates on its axis in less than half the time of the earth, but because of the planet's enormous size the rotation speed is much higher. While the earth travels seventeen miles a minute, Jupiter travels 466 miles a minute. If Jupiter turned on its axis a little faster it would burst, as some flywheels do when they exceed a safe speed. Jupiter may be regarded either as a decaying sun or a developing earth. He has not yet had time to cool. He is a great globe of gaseous and molten matter, the most extraordinary planet in the entire solar system.—Rochester Post Express.

Easily Explained.

Hub—"I'm puzzled about the house money, Mary. If I give you a lot you spend a lot, but if I don't give you so much you seem to get along with it just as well." Wife—"It's very simple, dear. When you give me a lot I use it to pay the bills I run up when you don't give me so much."

GIVE THE CHILD A TREE.

If Possible, Let Him Plant One and Own It All Himself.

Every child should own a tree. A tree is a symbol of life. It lives. It stands for everything that is noble. It is rooted in the soil and stretches itself toward heaven. It stands for patience, humility, persistence, beauty, courage and God.

The child should plant the tree himself and thereafter watch it grow year by year. He should put his hands on its rough bark and say: "This is my tree. I will stand by it and live up to it."

It is curious how blind we sometimes are to certain ideals because we cannot see and handle them. We need something to connect us with the invisible but none the less potent and formative world of aspiration and inspiration. What could be better than a tree?

There is something about the silent beauty of a tree that casts over us a spell of calmness and invincibility. The storms of life may sway us and break our branches; the grim and melancholy autumn may strip us of our brilliance, but the spring will come once more and clothe us in a new glory. So we go on fulfilling the majesty of the law.

If your child owns a tree the memory of its beneficent influence will cling to him through life.—Country Gentleman.

WINDOW BLINDS.

Called an Invention of the Evil One to Keep Out Sunlight.

"God said, 'Let there be light.' The devil whispered to men and blinds were invented." So writes Dr. F. Robbins of New York in an article entitled "Heliophobia, a Menace to the Community," published in the Medical Record.

According to a bulletin of the American Association For the Conservation of Vision, at least half the educated population of the United States is afflicted with defects of eyesight.

As a matter of fact, sunlight so far from being injurious to the eyes is one of the most successful cures for trachoma, the commonest of eye diseases.

Dr. Robbins is amazed at the number of persons who find sunlight trying and at the number who still cling to the old and long exploded notion that sunshine is bad for the eyes. He blames the persons in authority in our libraries, postoffices and railroad companies for persistently pulling down the blinds in their institutions and cars.

He urges those who are oppressed by sunlight to wear smoked glasses and not to deprive others of the beneficent brightness. Sunlight kills more noxious bacteria than all other germicides put together.

BUSINESS NOTICES

The goods in Turck's grocery store on Cedar street will be sold at public auction Saturday, May 19th, at 10 a. m.

LARGE FRESH Herring lb. 7c

Haddock, lb. 8c
White Halibut Steaks, lb. 22c
Fresh Cod Steaks, lb. 14c
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Anna N. Hughes, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, the administratrix of the estate of said deceased, at 124 Wurts street, in the said city of Kingston, on or before the 10th day of November, 1917.

Dated, May 7th, 1917.

JOSEPHINE D. CROMIE,
Administratrix Estate Anna N. Hughes, Deceased.

H. H. Flemming, Attorney, 22 Ferry St., Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Agatha Flick, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, testate to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Vinzenz Dittmar, the executor of the estate of said deceased, at No. 567 Broadway in the said city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 5th day of November, 1917.

Dated May 2nd, 1917.

VINZENZ DITTMAR,
Executor.

Frederick Stephan, Jr., Attorney for Executor, 21 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Joseph Schaeffer, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, testate to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Eva Schaeffer, the executrix of the estate of said deceased, at her residence, No. 145 Greenkill Ave., in the said city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 5th day of November, 1917.

Dated May 1st, 1917.

EVA SCHAEFFER,
Executrix.

Frederick Stephan, Jr., Attorney for Executrix, 21 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

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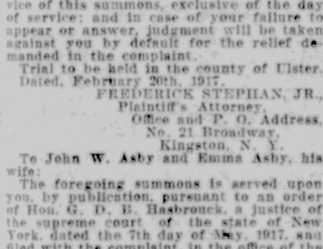

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF New York, by the Grace of God, Free and Independent.—To M. Lois Taylor, Lake street, West Hoboken, N. J.; Edith Tammany, 317 Lake street, West Hoboken, N. J.; Annie Tammany, 317 Lake street, West Hoboken, N. J.; Jansen Tammany, residence unknown; The Aetna Accident & Liability Co., of Hartford, Connecticut, and to all persons interested in the estate of William G. Tammany, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, and state of New York, deceased, as creditors, legatees, next of kin, or otherwise:

SEND GREETING:

You and each of you are hereby cited to show cause at a surrogate's court, to be held in and for the county of Ulster, at the surrogate's office, in the city of Kingston, in said county, on the 31st day of May, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why the account of proceedings of John R. Tammany, administrator of the estate of William G. Tammany, as administrator of the goods, chattels and credits which were of said deceased, should not be judicially settled and allowed, upon the petition of said administrator.

In Testimony Whereof, we have caused the seal of office of said surrogate to be hereunto affixed. Witness, Hon. Walter N. (L.S.) Gill, surrogate of our said county, at the city of Kingston, the 1st day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

WALTER H. GILL,
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, ULSter County.—The Home-Seekers' Co-operative Savings and Loan Association of the City of Kingston N. Y., plaintiff, against John W. Asby and Emma Asby, his wife, Edward J. Collins, as committee of Emma Asby, an incompetent person, The Kingston National Bank and Emma V. Cox, defendants.

To the above named defendants:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Trial to be held in the county of Ulster. Dated, February 20th, 1917.

FREDERICK STEPHAN, JR.,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
Office and P. O. Address,
No. 21 Broadway,
Kingston, N. Y.

To John W. Asby and Emma Asby, his wife:

The foregoing summons is served upon you, by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. G. D. B. Hasbrouck, a justice of the supreme court of the state of New York, dated the 7th day of May, 1917, and filed with the complaint, in the office of the clerk of Ulster county at the city of Kingston, county of Ulster and state of New York.

FREDERICK STEPHAN, JR.,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Office and P. O. Address,
No. 21 Broadway,
Kingston, N. Y.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF New York, by the Grace of God, Free and Independent.

To Frank Wilfert and Hamilton Trust Company, guardian of the property of Frank Wilfert, an infant.

SEND GREETING.

WHEREAS, Henry Kastner, who resides at No. 265 Marcy avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, city of New York, has presented his account as executor of Margaret Wilfert, deceased, lately residing at Napanoch, county of Ulster, state of New York, and a petition praying that his account may be judicially settled;

NOW THEREFORE you and each of you are hereby cited to show cause before our surrogate's court of the county of Ulster, to be held in the surrogate's court room in the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, on the 22nd day of May, 1917, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon why such settlement should not be had.

In Testimony Whereof, we have caused the seal of said surrogate's court to be hereunto affixed. Witness, Hon. Walter N. (L.S.) Gill, surrogate of our said county, at the city of Kingston, in the said county, the 17th day of April, 1917.

WALTER H. GILL,
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In p[ursuance] of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Kate Hasbrouck, late of the town of Marbletown, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Moses S. Davis, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, at his residence, High Falls, in the said county of Ulster, on or before the 15th day of June, 1917.

Dated, December 12, 1916.

MOSES S. DAVIS,
As Administrator, etc., of
Kate Hasbrouck, Deceased.

V. B. Van Wagonen, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against John J. Campbell, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Annie F. Campbell, the administratrix of the estate of said deceased, at her residence, No. 90 St. James St., Kingston, in the said county of Ulster, on or before the 10th day of June, 1917.

Dated, December 6, 1916.

ANNIE F. CAMPBELL,
As Administratrix of Estate of John J. Campbell, Deceased.

V. B. Van Wagonen, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.

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ROOSEVELT AND CHANDLER GUESTS OF GOVERNOR

Luncheon and Conference at Executive Mansion at Which Prominent Men Meet for Consultation.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, May 16.—Met in person by Governor Whitman at the station, Col. Theodore Roosevelt arrived here at 11:30 today and was driven by automobile to the executive mansion for a war conference. The colonel declined to be interviewed until later. He came alone.

Col. Roosevelt's appearance upon the platform was the signal for a cheer which was raised by those who had gathered there. He lifted his hat, descended and at once shook hands with Governor Whitman who advanced with a smile to meet him. Words of cordial greeting passed between them, after which, taking the arm of the former president, Governor Whitman led him down the stairs to the station subway and to a waiting automobile. A squad of secret service men followed.

"It is impossible for me to say anything now," said Roosevelt, leaning out of the automobile before it was driven away. Comments were fragrant from the crowd as to the availability of the colonel and his soldierly appearance.

Discussing the visit of Roosevelt, Governor Whitman said that he did not know its exact purport. "I presume it is to talk over the situation in a general way," he said. Asked if it might not be to request the bestowal of a major-generalship, the executive replied that it was within his power to make such an appointment.

"Col. Roosevelt, General W. W. Wotherspoon, Adjutant General Stotesbury, Major Chandler (head of the new state constabulary), Major Hoppin and Senator Theodore Douglas Robinson are to be my luncheon guests at the executive mansion today," said the governor.

Col. Roosevelt plans to remain in Albany with the governor all day. It is not expected that he will leave the executive mansion. Whatever statement he may care to give out will be forthcoming later if he talks.

The colonel wore his famed slouch hat and looked every inch a soldier as he walked briskly through the station subway with Governor Whitman and his military secretary, Major Hoppin.

SHOT AT SUNRISE FOR LESE MAJESTY

American Woman Stood Up Before Prussian Firing for Criticising Kaiser, Husband Believes—Illinois Pastor Receives News of Wife's Death.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—Shot at sunrise last Friday morning as a spy and also because she criticised the supreme war lord of Germany, Mrs. James Couch, wife of an American clergyman, will find her name linked in history with Edith Cavell, the British nurse who met the same fate at the hands of a Prussian firing squad. Officials in possession of the meagre facts in the case made this plain today.

The United States has no official word of the execution. It can take no action even when the official word comes, officials say. But the bitter resentment that a woman who had spent most of her life on free soil, although not an American citizen, is certain to spread to every section of the country.

Possibly Mrs. Couch was a spy. Officials say that everything nowadays is possible in war. But that she did not have a fair trial is apparent, officials say, from the meagre information coming from Germany by way of Switzerland.

St. Francisville, Ill., May 16.—That his wife was shot for criticising the kaiser in a letter to him instead of because she was guilty of espionage, was the belief expressed today by her husband, the Rev. James Couch, in discussing receipt of news that Mrs. Couch had been put to death in Germany.

Mr. Couch yesterday received a message from the Swiss foreign office at Berne saying that Mrs. Couch had been shot at sunrise Friday as a spy. The message was the first news the pastor had received of his wife in months. All efforts to communicate with her, he said, had been in vain.

Mrs. Couch went to Germany six months ago to visit her father. She was not a naturalized citizen of the United States, though America had been her residence since she was 11 years old.

China and Its People.

About 95 per cent of the population of China is confined to one-third of the area of the country, with a density of 200 to the square mile. Five per cent of the population inhabits 65 per cent of the area, with a density of ten to the square mile.

Dainty Boxes.

In Sicily one frequently sees dainty little circular boxes, pale yellow in color, painted in heraldic designs and giving off the sweet smell of oranges. They are used for pins, small jewels or collar buttons and are, in fact, orange skins.

Doubts and Dont's.

Remember Talleyrand's advice, "If you are in doubt whether to write a letter or not—don't!" The advice applies to many doubts in life besides that of letter writing.—Bulwer-Lytton.

JUDGE JENKINS ON BEANS, MEXICAN

Court Finds Salesman's Story "Improbable" and Upholds Tony Nekos as to Purchase.

Judge Jenkins has handed down a decision in the case of Ward W. Letts, doing business under the assumed name of Letts & Church Company, against Tony Nekos of this city, in which he finds that "the story of Nekos is probable," and that of the salesman for the plaintiff on which the lawsuit was started by his employer, is "improbable."

The facts are set forth fully in the memorandum written by Judge Jenkins. The case was tried before Judge Jenkins at county court chambers, several hearings being held. Letts was represented by John W. Eckert with Senator Walton of counsel; Van Etten & Cook represented Nekos.

Judge Jenkins's memorandum is as follows:

The plaintiff claims that on August 30th, 1911, the defendant ordered one half can of Mexican beans, fourteen pounds, at $4.50, to be delivered January 1st, 1912, and he produces a paper upon which are the words:

"½ Can Mex Beans
$4.50
(Jan. 1-12)
Formula
14 lb. Receipt 12 oz. beans
50% Cologne spirits.
Tony Nekos."

The defendant says that he was solicited by one O'Neil to buy vanilla beans but told him that he had a sufficient supply. After some conversation as to the desirability of manufacturing vanilla extract from the bean instead of buying it prepared, the defendant said he had plenty of beans but could not buy cologne spirits in a larger quantity than two gallons in the city of Kingston. (Cologne spirits are used in the manufacture of vanilla extract.) O'Neil said he knew a firm from whom five gallons of cologne spirits could be purchased at once, and, taking one of the defendant's bill heads, he asked defendant to write his name so that the sellers would know to whom to ship the cologne spirits; O'Neil had rheumatism and could not write well.

O'Neil says that he wrote the formula for the use of cologne spirits on the order and above Nekos's name, the formula to be used by the defendant. Nevertheless he took the formula away with him. He explains that he was about to return it when the beans were shipped.

The theory of the plaintiff seems to be that after the quantity and price of Mexican beans were written, the formula was tacked on. The paper itself refutes this theory, as the markings cleanly show that the formula was written down before the words which it is claimed constitute an order.

The case is a question of veracity between Nekos and O'Neil. To me the story of Nekos is probable, that of O'Neil improbable.

It follows that the plaintiff has failed to establish his cause of action by a preponderance of the evidence, and judgment should be given for the defendant, dismissing the complaint with costs.

Submit findings and judgment.

NAVY YARD HAS A MYSTERY IN FIRE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, May 16.—What happened at a fire in the Brooklyn navy yard last night is as much a mystery to the public today as it was at 11 p. m., when several thousand persons gathered outside the reservation to watch dense clouds of smoke curl skyward. Rear Admiral Usher, commandant of the yard, today refused all information. Brooklyn firemen also were sworn to secrecy as a "military necessity."

It was reported that a five-story brick receiving building containing clothing and other supplies had been totally destroyed with a loss of several hundred thousand dollars.

Admiral Usher is said to have started a rigid investigation to learn not only the origin of the fire, but the cause of a stubborn fire on the destroyer Roe in drydock last Saturday night.

THE MAN AND HIS JOB.

Every Worker Should Get a Chance to Exercise His Ability.

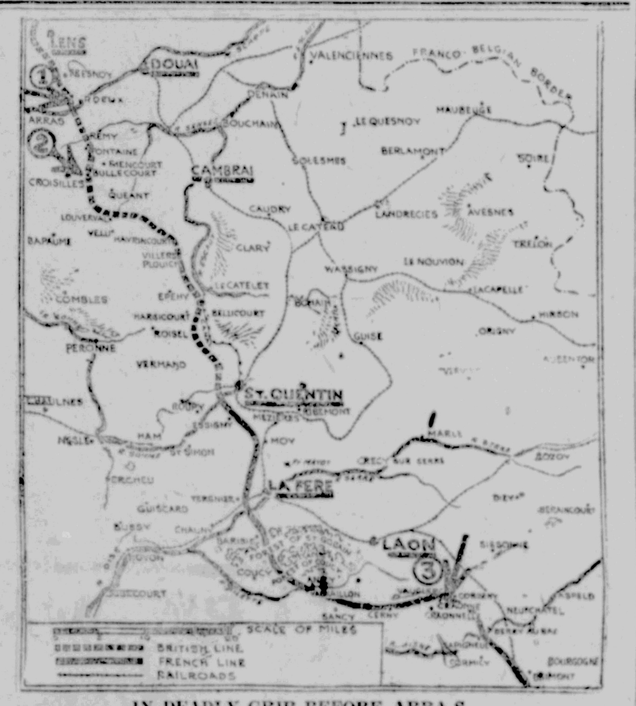
In the American Magazine Herman Schneider, dean of the school of engineering of the University of Cincinnati, who has devoted his life to a study of human ability and fitting the right job to the right man, says:

"There is a new psychology of work. One of its most inspiring principles is that the man who makes a failure on one job is likely to make a success of the job of an opposite type, assuming, of course, that he fails in the face of real effort. This is the significance of failure: It points the way to an occupation which means success. Failure to a willing man is merely misplacement on his job. Failure at one job is not a calamity; it is an indication. Every failure is a guidepost to success.

"Fortunately some employers are beginning to understand this. When a man fails in one job they shift him to another of an opposite type. And if the worker is not lazy or dishonest he usually succeeds. No foreman should be allowed to discharge a man. He should merely report to a central office that the man is not successful on his particular kind of work. In another department he may break records. To fire a man who has failed at one job is poor business. The shifting of failures means the making of successes."

VIRGINIA HORSEWOMAN OFFERS AID TO GOVERNMENT.

In order to serve her country as her husband and son are doing, Mrs. Allen Potts, noted horsewoman of Gordonsville, Va., will sell her stable of thoroughbreds and tender her services to the government. Mrs. Potts is a well known figure in horse show circles and has ridden many blue ribbon winners. Her husband, Major Allen Potts, will have charge of the training camp at Petersburg, Va., where 30,000 men will be trained. Her son is a student at the Virginia Military Institute and will soon enter the army. The photograph shows Mrs. Potts and her blue ribbon winner, Day Star II.



IN DEADLY GRIP BEFORE ARRAS.

Terrific fighting, according to reports from London and Paris, is still taking place near Bullecourt (2), at the southern end of the Arras line. The British have advanced slightly south of the Scarpe, and on the north bank of the stream east of Roeux (1) a German counter attack has been beaten back, with a capture of prisoners. Heavy German thrusts on the Craonne Plateau (3) were repulsed by the French.

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WELLESLEY GIRLS JOIN ORGANIZATION FOR RED CROSS AID.

Girls attending Wellesley College have formed an organization to aid the American Red Cross. These two students, Miss Hortense Barcolo and Miss Helen Moore, both of the class of '19, are leaders in the college organization, Miss Moore being chairman of the campaign committee.

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Johnny was invited to a party, but could not go, because he had to go with his mother to the depot to meet his uncle. Upon the uncle's arrival he said to Johnny: "If you are a good boy while I am here I will buy you a baseball," whereupon Johnny replied: "You don't need to wait. You can buy it right away. Just think how good I was—I stayed away from a party to meet you."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against DeWitt Van Bumble, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Thomas D. R. Embree, the executor of the estate of said deceased, at his residence, 169 Pine street, Kingston, in the said county of Ulster, New York, on or before the first day of June, 1917.

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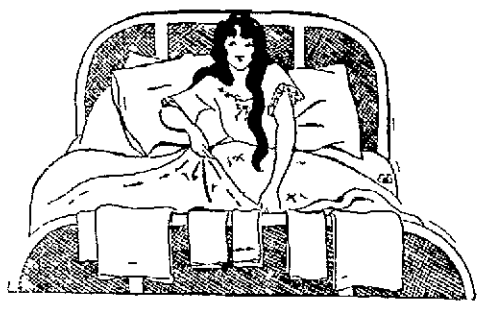

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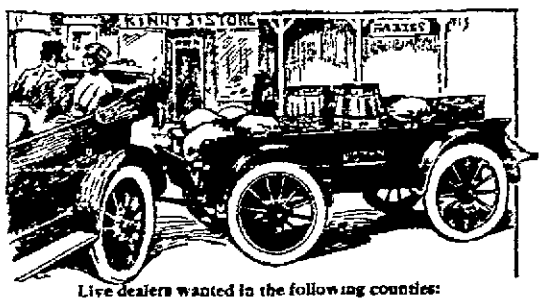

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RUNAWAY MEETS A "GOOD SAMARITAN"

Middletown Youth's Experience With Wanderlust Excites Compassion of Kingston Man, Who Forthwith Purchases Stockings—Folks Coming After Howard Talmage

Howard Talmage, who departed from his home in Middletown and came to Kingston a la blind baggage and was later picked up by the police and held until his folks could come and get him met a Good Samaritan when he was brought in to the sheriff's office Howard who said he left home because his folks crimped him had evidently departed in a hurry as he had no stockings and was without a shirt being clad only in trousers Jersey and shoes A man who had during his early youth experienced the feeling of wanderlust and had embarked upon a trip without his parents consent saw Howard's plight and bought a pair of stockings for the lad Under the care of Jailer Seth Jocelyn Howard was then given a bath and made presentable while awaiting the arrival of his folks who were notified to come and take him home

The story told by the Good Samaritan was similar to Howard's experience He left Kansas City aboard a fast mail train which landed him in St Paul and as he descended from the roof of the mail car he stepped into the hands of two policemen His folks had missed him and notified the railroad authorities and he was immediately shipped home Next morning he was safely back home his wanderings having been a short by the police having experienced the dirt and cold of the blind baggage Pullman he felt sorry for Howard and so looked up the first store and made the necessary purchases

SOUTH RONDOUT

South Rondout May 16—Our pastor Rev George Mead preached two powerful sermons on Sunday The morning theme was They That Wait Upon the Lord Shall Renew Their Strength and the evening theme was Mother The choir sang My Mother's Bible

The Ladies Aid will give a supper in the basement of the church tonight from 5 o clock till all are served for the usual price The menu will be Baked beans potato salad boiled ham rye bread wheat bread and cake Ice cream will also be on sale

Henry Meyers of New York is spending some time with his wife and son Roland

We are all glad to hear at this writing that Edison Marchant has returned home from the Wanna Sanitarium and that he will soon be able to mingle with us again He has surely been missed in our church and Sunday school

Mrs Hicks and daughter Bessie and granddaughter Helen Sheely of Middletown spent Sunday at the home of her son Clifford Hicks

Miss Antoinette Hyde has returned [illegible] spending a week at the home of her parents Mr and Mrs Liberty Hyde

Miss Helen Clair left Saturday for New York where she will visit her sisters Mrs Oliver Lund and Mrs Conde Lawsing

Mr and Mr Nathan Cole and daughter Kathryn left Monday for Haines Falls to get their boarding house the Sunset View ready for the summer

Mr and Mr Conde Lawsing motored from Kiskatom to Connelly on Saturday morning and called on her mother Mr Henry Clair on their way home to New York

Mr and Mrs Joseph Haines left Saturday for Haines Falls and took their niece Antoinette Cole with them

Little Ruth Hamilton is not confined to her home with the measles

Rensselaer Munson has returned to New York after spending some time at the home of Mr and Mrs Henry Clair

The steamer Ida of the Sanger tries line is at Hillebrant's shipyard for repairs

Rev Edwin Travers of German town called on his aunt Mrs Amanda Hotaling and other friends on Monday

Fred Biel of Syracuse spent Sunday with his wife

Red Cross Entertainment

Those in charge of the play Off for the Trenches to be given for the benefit of the Red Cross at the high school auditorium on Friday evening of this week wish to announce an added attraction in that the Musicians Union has generously offered to contribute music for the entertainment which will add materially to the pleasure of the evening James Finnie will also sing several Scotch songs appearing in costume Tickets which are only 2 cents are selling well but it should be remembered that the high school auditorium will hold a large number of people and as many Kingstonians as can arrange to do so should avail themselves of the pleasure and privilege of attending this play

Time-Savers Harm Gardens

Mrs C R O'Reilly who has transformed a tract of land on Andrew street into a garden plot is annoyed by trespassers who deliberately cut across her property causing damage thereby The police will probably take steps to prevent such trespass hereafter complaints of a similar nature having been received from other sections of the city

Ascension Day Services

Ascension Day services will be held at the Spring Street German Lutheran Church on Thursday evening at 7 30 o clock

LANDLORD GIVEN JUDGMENT

Dr. Connelly Wins Suit Against Samuel Auster Before Judge Jenkins.

Judge Jenkins has handed down a decision in the case of Dr William F Connelly, appellant against Samuel Auster, respondent reversing a judgment of the city court rendered by William D Brenner Jr city judge in favor of the defendant. The action was brought to recover for rent and Judge Jenkins finds that the plaintiff is entitled to it. Arthur C Connelly appeared for the appellant and there was no appearance by the defendant

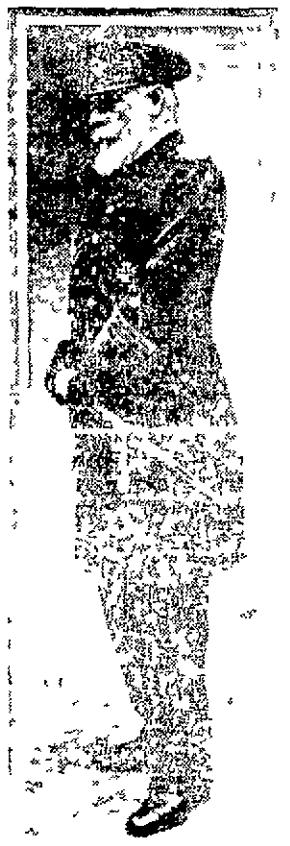
Judge Jenkins's opinion is as follows

This is an action for rent for the month of May 1916

By a landlord and tenant agreement the appellant leased unto the respondent No 137 Franklin street in the city of Kingston for a term of one year for the sum of $30 per month The landlord's agreement was signed by the landlord and the tenants by the tenant The respondent paid rent for the month of May On or about the first day of June he moved out the premises His defense is surrender and acceptance Undoubtedly the tenant attempted to surrender the premises There is no act or agreement in writing which mounts to an acceptance by the landlord

I hold that where there is an agreement in writing between a landlord and tenant this agreement cannot be modified by parole unless both parties have acted under the new parole agreement Here there is a written lease claimed to have been cancelled by oral agreement the landlord knew that he never entered into such an oral agreement To hold that a written agreement may be pushed aside in this way is to destroy the purpose for which such agreements are entered into and to make the rule that agreements in writing can not be modified by parole evidence Of course if both parties agreed to cancel the lease and both had done some act under that agreement the result would have been different There being no evidence at all to support the judgment in the city court it must be reversed

Judgment reversed with cost



AD VON HOLTZENDORFF

GERMAN ADMIRAL SAID TO HAVE BEEN RECALLED

Admiral von Holtzendorff of the German navy who according to reports from Holland and Scandinavian countries has been replaced Admiral von Holtz nior occupied a position close to Grand Admiral von Tirpitz when that official was in power

CHICHESTER

Chichester May 16—Mr and Mrs Andrew DuBois spent Sunday out of town

Mr Jessie P Pratt spent the week end at her home here

Mr George C [illegible] is still quite ill

Miss Laura Grant spent the week end with her parents Mr and Mrs Ormond Grant

Mr and Mrs N Everett of Lanesville are visiting Mr and Mrs Elmer Lasch

Mr Alla DuBois went to Kingston Saturday

Mr and Mrs Cyrus Low of Woodstock are visiting relatives in this place

Mr Reuben Davis who has been seriously ill is improving

Arthur Sahler who has been employed at Schenectady is working here again

OLIVE BRIDGE

Olive Bridge May 16—Miss Jennie Crispell is spending a few days in Kingston with her aunt Mrs Jennie C Hotaling

Mrs Emma Palen who has been in Kingston under the care of Dr Kemble for blood poison has returned home

Miss Orpha Bishop left for Monona Lake on Tuesday

Mr and Mrs John Locke of College Hill visited Rev and Mrs Charles Lee [illegible] Sunday

William Christiana is ill

Orey Crispell and James Barnes started on a trip to Chicago [illegible] automobile on Monday

The Misses Hazel and Grace Hogan Catharine Crispell and Mr Van Dyke Hall [illegible] Mildred Trowbridge Monday afternoon

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SECRETARY HUGO VISITS KINGSTON

Secretary of State Francis H. Hugo, who was one of the speakers at the annual banquet of the Sullivan County Automobile Club at Liberty Tuesday night, reached Kingston on the 12:50 Ontario & Western train this afternoon on his way to Albany.

He was met at the depot by Elva H. Bogart, president of the Ulster County Automobile Club and was Mr. Bogart's guest at luncheon at the Eagle Hotel. Others at the dinner included the officers of the Ulster County Automobile Club and county officials. Division Engineer Waite, of the state highway department, was also present.

Among the matters discussed informally in addition to automobile legislation and regulations was the matter of closing the Kingston-West Hurley road while it is being repaired and reconstructed, and the detours which it is possible to provide.

State Comptroller Eugene M. Travis, who was also one of the speakers at the Sullivan county banquet Tuesday night, returned to Albany this morning and was a guest at the Stuyvesant between trains.

PRIVATES' PAY $30 A MONTH

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—By a vote of 199 to 177 the house today voted to recommit the conference report on the army conscription bill with instructions that the pay of enlisted men of the army be increased to $30 a month. This vote reverses the action of the conferees of the two branches of congress in fixing the soldiers' pay at $25 a month and causes further delay in the enactment of the administration's conscription bill.

The motion to recommit was made by Representative Good of Iowa. As the bill passed the house it provided an increase to $30 a month for enlisted men while the senate fixed the monthly pay at $29. Representative Good insisted that the conferees should have adopted one or the other figure.

NEW COMMISSION HAS ORGANIZED

Judge Betts, Hon. Harcourt J. Pratt of Highland and Carl Eberman of New York city, composing the new Ashokan Damage Commission No. 5, appointed several days ago by Judge Hasbrouck, organized at the court house at noon today by the election of Judge Betts as chairman.

William McM. Speer, counsel for the city of New York, outlined the plan adopted by other commissions in first inspecting the section from which the claims to be presented arise, and of holding hearings, etc. Senator Charles W. Walton, who was present, said he desired to try a number of claims speedily, and the commission adjourned until next Monday when it will hold its first hearing.

DYNAMITE DOES DAMAGE AT "SOO"

Guardsman and Five Laborers Killed at Fort Brady—Martial Law Prevails at Locks.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., 16.—Martian law prevails about the "Soo" locks as a result of a dynamite explosion at 8:30 o'clock this morning which killed six men and injured several others at Fort Brady here.

One National Guardsman was killed. The others were laborers. Troops from the fort have taken charge of the situation. The fish hatchery and adjoining buildings suffered damage. The military authorities have not given out a list of the dead nor made any statement as to the cause of the explosion.

The Philosopher.

A philosopher is a fellow who manages to say what you knew all along but don't realize you did until he said it.

DIED.

May 16, 1917.

In memory of Edward Roosa, beloved son of Golden and Kathrine Roosa, died May 16, 1916, aged five years and seven months.

Our life knows now but one great purpose,
The glories of the unseen world to share;
To make each day a stepping stone to Heaven,
Because we know our little boy is there.

PARENTS AND GRANDPARENTS.

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SOCIETY NOTES.

The S. S. Club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Ella Ahrens on First avenue.

Mrs. Joseph Hales delightfully entertained Tuesday evening at her residence, No. 320 Hasbrouck avenue, a number of friends at five hundred. At the close of play, refreshments were served.

Plans for the dance to be given at St Colman's Hall, East Kingston, on Saturday evening, May 19, under the auspices of the Children of Mary Sodalty of St. Colman's Church, are about completed and indications point to a rousing success The young ladies are working zealously for a large attendance, which no doubt, will be present. The music for the occasion will be under the direction of Prof. Schwalbach, which in itself, will be a magnet to the lovers of the Terpsichorean art. Refreshments will be on sale during the evening.

A very pleasant birthday surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Meyer of Tillson, N. Y., in honor of their daughter, Marie F. Meyer on Saturday evening. Dancing and games were enjoyed after which dainty refreshments were served. The rooms were very prettily decorated with the patriotic colors. Miss Meyer was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts. Those present were Mrs. C. D. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Freer, Misses Gladys and Marguerite Christiana, Eva Freer, Helen Keator, Lena Kremper, Florence Meyer, Florence and Elizabeth Haines, Elvina and Alice Depuy, Augusta Gaebler, Vivian and Adelaide Harmes, Messrs. Oliver Craig, Floyd Keator, Percy Keator, Henry Maedle, Lester Clark, Millard Keator, John Muller, Harvey Maroon of Walden and Mortimer Hyman of Harlem, N. Y. At twelve o'clock the guests departed wishing Miss Meyer many more years of happiness.

Adams-Van Dyke.

Miss Florence B. Van Dyke of Catskill and T. William Adams of Boston, were married Monday afternoon by the Rev. R. E. Bell. The bride is a daughter of D. A. Van Dyke, well known contractor of Catskill and the niece of F. S. Brown of 165 Bruyn avenue, this city. Mr. Adams is publicity counsellor for National Advertisers. Mr and Mrs. Adams are now stopping at The Stuyvesant.

Cahill-Henry.

Miss Margaret Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Henry of No. 7 New street, and Daniel J. Cahill of No. 26 South Clinton avenue, were married at five o'clock Tuesday afternoon at St. Joseph's Church by the Rev. Martin O'Gara, in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. The bride wore a traveling gown of dark blue taffeta and was attended by Miss Lena Morris, who was similarly gowned. John Maloney was best man. After a wedding banquet at the home of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Cahill left town on the 10:17 o'clock West Shore train for a wedding trip to Kansas. Mr. Cahill is employed in the operating department of the West Shore railroad and both he and his bride have many friends in town.

Annual Federation Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs will be held on Saturday afternoon of this week at 2:30 o'clock in the chapel of the Wurts Street Baptist Church, the Coterie members acting as hostesses for the afternoon. All members of the executive committee are asked, especially, by the president, Mrs. C. K. Moulton, to attend an executive meeting at 2 o'clock, at the same place and immediately preceding the regular meeting. The address and musical program arranged by the Coterie, and which will include vocal selections by Miss Jacus and Miss Hey, of New York, soprano and alto soloists at the church; and an address on "Women of Italy, Yesterday and Today," by Mrs. Walling Clark, who comes highly recommended as a speaker by the president of Wellesley College; will begin at 3 o'clock.

Mendelssohn Club Concert.

For fifteen years the members of the Mendelssohn Club have entertained their many friends—and they certainly are rich in friends—with a delightful complimentary concert given at the close of their year of rehearsals. At last evening's concert, given at the high school auditorium, with Harry P. Dodge conducting, the club gave its fifteenth concert, assisted by Miss Grace Kerns of New York, soprano, and William Wheeler of New York tenor, with Charles Gilbert Spross of New York, the accompanist of the soloists, and Emil Kuehn accompanist of the club. Through the courtesy of William Williams, the Broadway florist, the stage was artistically decorated with palms, lilies and azaleas arranged behind a quaint hedge of box. American flags formed the background of the pleasing picture.

The evening's music opened with the singing of the Star Spangled Banner by the club, and as the audience arose to its feet, a beautiful, large American flag was lowered at the back of the stage, with applause but no undue enthusiasm on the part of the audience.

The first number on the program was Foote's arrangement of Bayard Taylor's "Bedouin Love Song," and it was admirably sung by the club, with fineness of shading and accuracy of pitch. The club has gained much in that piano and pianissimo passages were sung with delicacy and cleanness. Mr. Wheeler's first number was the stirring, "Sound an Alarm," from Judas Maccabaeus by Handel. It was sung with spirit and forcefully, yet seemed not quite so well suited to the sympathetic quality of Mr. Wheeler's pleasing tenor voice, as the exquisite encore which followed.

This was followed by two numbers sung by the club, "A Noctune," by Prothero, and "Hush!" by Neidlinger. The second number so delighted the audiene that the club was forced to repeat the same.

Miss Kerns, who possesses a true soprano voice of wide range, and a finished and brilliant technique, called forth enthusiastic applause with her singing of the group of songs: "Oh, quanr je dors," by Liszt; "Twilight Dreams," by Sibella; "Life and Death," by Coleridge-Taylor; "Deep River," by Burleigh and "The Awakening," by Spross. The last two were the most pleasing, and Miss Kerns who was petite and of charming personality, graciously repeated the Spross number, after which she was presented with a huge armfut of American Beauty roses almost as large as herself!

A little later in the evening, Miss Kerns and Mr. Wheeler sang one of the most beautiful of the duets from "Madam Butterfly," by Puccini, calling forth rounds of applause.

In the second half of the program the club sang with spirit and often with excellent interpretation, always with clean enunciation and tonal exxactness. Mendelssohn's "Hunting Song;" "The Pilot," by Carl Fique; "De Sandman," by Prothero, and "Battle Prayer," by Mohring. One of the very best numbers of the program was "De Sandman," which the club repeated in answer to the continued applause. Surely the club made an excellent musical showing under the conducting of Mr. Dodge.

Mr. Wheeler's group of songs in the second half of the program, included, "Art," by Fox; "One Year," by Burleigh; "A Slumber Song," by Hartman and "To a Messenger," by La Forge." Every number was enjoyed to the full, both because of the sympathetic and pleasing quality of Mr. Wheeler's voice and the excellence of his vocalization, but especial mention should be made (as Mr. Wheeler himslf did) of the song by Burleigh, the colored composer whose works are receiving such just appreciation and commendation from our greatest singers. The song, "One Year," (1914-15) was a tragically vivid portrayal of human emotion before and at the end of a year of experience in the trenches. It was a wonderful song, wonderfully well sung.

Two more duets sung by Miss Kerns and Mr. Wheeler, "Passage Birds Farewell," by Hildach, and and "It Was a Lover and His Lass," by Walthew, (especially graceful) delighted the hearers.

In her last solo, an operatic number, "De puis le jour," by Carpentier, Miss Kerns displayed marked ability as an operatic singer, of much dramatic as well as vocal ability.

The program closed with the singing by all present, Mendelssohn Club, soloists and entire audience, of "America." The fifteenth complimentary concert of the Mendelssohn Club will long be happily remembered by the very large audience which nearly filled the great high school auditorium. The following are the members of the Mendelssohn Club:

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Women With Mustaches.

The Ainus, aboriginal race of Japan, live in the island of Yeddo, although the race has become so reduced that there are now not more than 16,000 or 17,000 of them left in the country. The most noticeable peculiarity about Ainu women is that they have tattooed upon their upper and lower lips what resembles a mustache. The women are not considered attractive, and their matrimonial prospects are quite injured without this decoration. The mustache is begun when the girl is quite a child. It is done gradually, a little each year, until it extends partly across the cheek., the material used being the soot from burning birch bark. The face is cut and the black rubbed in. Afterward it is washed in a solution of ash bark liquor to fix the color.

Shortstops and Errors.

"You can't be a good shortstop unless you make errors," says C. H. Claudy in the Woman's Home Companion.

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She May Yet.

A woman whose hands are occupied in housework becomes such an adept in holding things in her mouth it is a wonder she never tried to hold the baby that way.

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Apparatus that enables one surgeon to perform the operation of blood transfusion without assistance has been invented by a New York doctor.

USING SPITBALL AGAIN

Spitball Reformers Fail In Attempts to Cut Out Spitter.

Jimmy Callahan of Pirates Declares It Would Be Unfair to Legislate Against Moist Delivery at This Late Date.

The spitball will be hurled at the batters again this season by pitchers all over the country.

It will continue on its moist and foggy way despite the efforts of some baseball reformers to legislate it out of the pastime, for the spitter has become just as much a part of the pitcher's art as the curve.

During the hot-stove season, which came to a close with the departure for the South, the spitter came in for its annual panning. Baseball men in various parts of the country talked against it. Chief among the pansters was Percy D. Haughton of the Boston Braves, who believes the elimination of the spitter would be a long step toward increasing hitting.

Haughton put the spitter on the pan every time he got a chance, and is honest in his convictions against it. But the members of the rules committee did not even discuss the spitter in a casual way. The rules committee found practically nothing to do, for the rules as they stand today are just about as solid as they can be made.

In discussing the spitball at one of the National league sessions last winter, Jimmy Callahan of the Pirates, advanced the opinion that it would be unfair to legislate against it now. Callahan believes that the moist delivery has been in vogue too long. He pointed out that it has been in use at least ten years, and that if it had been particularly undesirable it should have been elimi-

Percy D. Haughton.

nated before hundreds of pitchers had studied it and mastered its use. The emery ball was short-lived in the major leagues. Action against it was quick and when it was made illegal there was no great hardship worked on the pitchers.

With the spitter it is different. Hundreds of younger pitchers who are coming up have adopted the spitter for use in the tight places. It is used by at least 40 per cent of the pitchers of the country today and it has become an institution. So the spitter will live for some time to come and may never be barred.

The fact that many baseball men do not champion the moist ball will make no difference, and, as Jimmy Callahan declares, it would be an injustice because its use has been permitted for too many years.

BASEBALL IN SOUTH AMERICA

Many Promising Players Found Among Expert Workmen Secured for Cultivation of Sugar.

The European war may be responsible for introducing baseball into South America. The centuries of South America whose soil is adapted to the cultivation of sugar are sending to Cuba for expert workmen in that branch of industry, and as a result baseball promises to be as well known in Latin-America as it is in the West Indies. The Cubans have taken to the game like a duck to water, and there are numberless teams scattered all over the island. It is not improbable that in the future the championship of America will not be settled until the northern and southern hemispheres have battled on the diamond.

The South Americans are a sport-loving people, and once the fascinating game of baseball fastens itself on them there should be a wave of enthusiasm all over that continent. As soon as the South Americans understand the sport the turnstiles at the bull fights will not be very busy.

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TALE OF THE TURTLE.

Where This Stupid Animal Poses as a Student of Astronomy.

For an animal that is rated so low in the scale of intelligence as the turtle it is really amazing to note the keen sense of intuition they display.

There is a tradition among the natives of Venezuela that turtles will not begin to lay their eggs until the Southern Cross, which is the characteristic object of the firmament in the southern hemisphere, is completely formed—that is, not until the four stars which form the cross have moved on through the heavens and have reached a position perpendicular to the horizon.

It is even reported by a member of one exploring expedition in Venezuela that at midnight, when the turtles were being watched by the naturalists, the great mass of creatures went back into the waters without laying, leaving but a few of their companions behind them to act as sentinels.

At half past 2 in the morning, at the moment when the Southern Cross seemed exactly perpendicular to the horizon, a great motion was perceived on the shore of the river, and the turtles came out in battalions. They scattered rapidly in all directions, dug holes in the sand, deposited their eggs and then covered up the places, taking great pains to leave the surface smooth and flat as they had found it.—Argonaut.

Saved Himself.

As to the most embarrassing moment in his life, U. R. Treat related it to the club in this way:

"I had taken Gladys Harcourt to a swell cafe after the opera, and as we were both hungry I ordered without stint, while the score mounted up. When the check fell beside my plate I was astounded on discovery that I had lost my purse, doubtless at the hands of a pickpocket. The assiduous and expectant waiter stood by. I was a stranger in this city, and of course knew no one in the restaurant. Already the waiter was beckoning to some one, perhaps an officer. I was sure to be arrested. Gladys, unaware of my dilemma, was drawing on her gloves. A great clock boomed the hour. I was saved, for at the twelfth stroke I awoke."—Oakland Tribune.

Sure Cure.

A nervous man at the opera sat behind a pair of those persons who explain the plot until his endurance was exhausted. Then he leaned forward and said:

"Excuse me, will you speak a little louder? Sometimes the music prevents my hearing what you say."—Chicago Herald.

MESSAGE TO GERMANS. INTERNATIONAL

HOW PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE WAS SENT OVER GERMAN LINES.

In order that the German soldiers might be correctly informed regarding the entry of the United States into the world war and its reasons for so doing, the French had President Wilson's great message to congress translated into German and distributed over the German lines in France. This photograph shows the printed speeches being tied to a balloon.

Pure Reason.

In his essay, "Perpetual Peace," published in 1795, Immanuel Kant declared that we can never have universal peace until the world is politically organized, and it will never be possible to organize the world politically until the people, not the kings, rule. And he added that the peoples of the earth must cultivate and attain the spirit of hospitality and good will toward all races and nations.—Independent.

Topaz and Chrysolite.

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WANTED.—4 good carpenters. Apply 57 Foxhall Ave.

WANTED.—Plumbers, steamfitters and helpers. Apply L. F. Bannon Co., 16-18 Hasbrouck Ave.

WANTED.—Errand boy. Apply at shop, 102 Albany Ave.

WANTED.—MEN, IMMEDIATELY. APPLY AT STONE CRUSHER, ON WILBUR AVE.

WANTED.—Men, at tub factory. Kingston Granite Tub Works.

STATE COMMISSION FOR ROOSEVELT

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, May 16.—Theodore Roosevelt announced today after his conference with Governor Whitman that in the event of the federal army bill passing without provison for his going to Europe with an expeditionary force, he would accept a commission as major-general in the state service.

"Governor Whitman has offered me the commission of major general," said Col. Roosevelt, "if the volunteer plan for sending troops abroad is not accepted in Washington. The commission would authorize me to raise one or more divisions in New York state but the members would not necessarily come from this state.

"I doubt if the citizens really know how much has been done in New York for preparedness. This great achievement under Governor Whitman is a notable thing and it should be a matter of pride in New York that so much has been done so quickly.

"I would have no difficulty in keeping down to one division," he added, referring to his work in recruiting.

AMERICAN FLEET REACHES EUROPE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—An American fleet has arrived safely in European waters, it was learned here officially late this afternoon.

ODDS AND ENDS.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church will hold a quilting party and social at the church tomorrow evening.

The ladies of Rondout will meet in the chapel of the Rondout Presbyterian Church on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 to sew for the Red Cross.

The Thursday Club that played cards all winter has reorganized and now meets at the D. A. R. chapter house on Thursday afternoons to sew for the Red Cross.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Clinton Avenue Church will have an all day quilting on Thursday, May 17, in the church parlors. Those coming in the morning bring their lunch. Refreshments will be served in the afternoon.

At the Albany Avenue Baptist Church this evening the missionary pageant, "The King's Highway," will be presented for the benefit of the Missionary Fund. The pageant was given some time ago with great success and its presentation again was made in response to many requests. No admission will be charged but a silver offering will be taken.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Wesley B. Hotaling of Prospect street is seriously ill. He is being attended by Dr. Norwood.

Mrs. Jared Smith has returned to her home in New Paltz after spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. James A. Murphy, of Pittsfield, Mass.

Louis Schmidtkonz, a student at the Lutheran Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. A. Schmidtkonz.

Edna B. DeGraff of Cedar street was taken Monday to the Wauna Sanitarium for an operation on her throat. Her many friends hope for speedy recovery.

Simon Lyons of the Eagle Hotel underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Kingston City Hospital Tuesday afternoon. The operation was performed by Dr. E. E. Norwood. Mr. Lyons was resting comfortably today.

Mrs. Orren W. Smith of New York city, formerly of Kingston, who has been dangerously ill for the past five months at Bellevue Hospital, has been brought to the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. David Williams, 62 Cedar street, where she is slowly recovering.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

George W. Loud, a well known citizen of Catskill, died at his home there Monday night, aged 74 years. He had operated a number of hotels in Greene county and at one time was in charge of the dining room service on the Catskill Evening Line.

Rev. Orren C. Lane, one of the best known Methodist preachers on Long Island and a member of the New York East conference since 1873 died at his home in Riverhead on Thursday, in his 74th year. Mr. Lane was born in Lanesville, Greene county.

GARDNER GOING TO FRONT.

Congressman Resigns to Take Up Arms Against Germany.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—Representative A. P. Gardner of Massachusetts, pioneer champion of military preparedness and early advocate of the cause of the Allies, has resigned his seat in congress to go to the front against Germany.

Gardner's resignation through Governor McCall of Massachusetts was announced in a letter from Gardner to Speaker Clark which was read in the house today. Gardner is a reserve officer in the United States army.

WHEAT PRICES FALL GREATLY

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Chicago, May 16.—Wheat prices fell off abruptly at the opening of the board of trade today. September was fifteen cents and July nineteen cents under yesterday's closing prices.

Wheat closed 6 to 10 cents lower; corn was ½ to 2 cents lower, and oats ⅝ to ⅝ cents lower.

Closing Prices.

Wheat—July, 230; Sept., 207.
Corn—July, 152⅛ @ 152¼; Sept., 144½ to 144¼.
Oats—July, 65½; Sept., 56⅛ to 56.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, May 16.—The chief feature of the first hour was the ease with which all groups of traders were able to force advances in many issues without any special development in the way of news. Steel Common, in which there was persistent buying around 117 rose to 118 and Crucible advanced from 65⅞ to 67¾. St. Paul made a gain of 1¼ to 72 and Colorado Fuel was unusually active and strong, advancing 1¾ to 49¾. American Beet Sugar was weak and declined over 3 points to 88¾. The copper stocks were quiet and in supply at slight concessions.

The announcement of the action of the government in extending a loan to Russia of $100,000,000 caused urgent demand for stocks in the afternoon, both on the stock exchange and on the curb. Steel Common rose to 119⅝, a gain of nearly 3 points for the day and Bethlehem Steel B advanced 4 points to 126⅝. General Electric showed an upturn of 3 points to 156. The Russian 6½ on the curb sold up from 80 to 90.

Quotations furnished by John D. Kline Warren Building Fair street, Kingston, N. Y., Tel. 1423. Correspondent of C. H. Van Buren & Company, members of Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Allis-Chalmers	26½
American Beet Sugar	90¼
American Car & Foundry	67⅞
American Can	44¾
American Cotton Oil	
American Locomotive	68⅝
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	100⅝
American Sugar	110½
Anaconda Copper Mining	78¾
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe	100
Baldwin Loco	57¾
Baltimore & Ohio	69½
Bethlehem Steel Co.	127½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	58⅜
Canadian Pacific	160
Central Leather	86¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	57
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	72¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron	50⅛
Corn Products	49½
Crucible Steel	7¾
Distillers' Securities	16
Erie	28¾
Erie, 1st pfd	35⅝
Goodrich Rubber	51
Great Northern, pfd	104¾
Great Northern Ore	34½
Interborough Con	
Inter. Con., pfd	53¼
Kansas City Southern	19
Lehigh Valley	61
Maxwell Motor	50¾
Maxwell Motor, 1st pfd	
Maxwell Motor, 2d pfd	31½
Mexican Petroleum	90¾
National Lead	54¾
New York Central	88
N. Y., N. H. & H.	39½
New York, Ontario & Western	21½
Norfolk & Western	120½
Northern Pacific	100½
Pennsylvania Railroad	52
People's Gas, Chicago	78¾
Pittsburgh Coal	45⅝
Pressed Steel Car	73
Railway Steel Sp'g	48½
Reading	87½
Rep. Iron & Steel	83½
Southern Pacific	91⅝
Southern Railway	25
Southern Railway, pfd	54½
Studebaker	89⅞
Union Pacific	134½
U. S. Steel	120⅞
U. S. Steel, pfd	117¾
U. S. Rubber	56
Utah Copper	113½
Virginia Car. Chem	42¾
Westinghouse Electric	49½

No Place for Her.

The little miscreant in the chair sat with chubby hands folded and blue eyes, big and solemn, listening to the recounting of the day's wrongdoings. As mother paused and father gazed reproachfully at the tiny culprit a baby sigh was heaved and two large tears appeared as the little tot ventured: "I dess I had better stayed in babyland."

He Just Hated Them.

Ben had just been presented with his first pair of suspenders. He immediately put them on over his blouse and waited for his folks to notice his new property. Some time passed, however, and they failed to do so. Finally Ben could contain himself no longer and, taking care that all should hear, said, "Gee, I just hate my new suspenders!"

Sleeping on Puffs.

The Japanese do not sleep on European beds, but on many thick, soft puffs piled one on top of each other upon the floor. For bed covering they use more of the same kinds of puffs. It is said that the Japanese emperor has twenty such puffs. One of those which cover him is made in the shape of a kimono and has a velvet collar. Probably he creeps inside of this if he feels cold in the night.

OPPOSE CLOSING OF WEST HURLEY ROAD

Merchants Want Traffic Kept Open On Only Highway to Ashokan Reservoir—Clause in Contract Permits Closing.

Several merchants and business men of Kingston met at the office of Senator Walton Tuesday aftrnoon to protest against the closing of the West Hurley road this spring during the work of repairing the road. The delegation claims that if the road is closed to traffic while the work is going on the city will lose a large amount of business. The contract for the construction work has been let to Samuel Beskin, the state road contractor of Beacon, and as is usual contains a clause which allows the contractor to close the road if necessary while the work is being done.

If the road is closed to traffic the merchants claim that traffic would be diverted through Saugerties and other points and the city would lose a large amount of business as the West Hurley road is one of the main thoroughfares leading into the city.

The delegation asked Senator Walton to use what influence he could toward keeping the road open while the work was going on. Whether the contractor will be hindered by the using of the road while the repair work is being done or not will probably be determined when a representative of the state highway department visits Kingston. Opinions differ as to whether it would be advisable to close the road and use the detour through Woodstock or have the contractor's work interferred with by traffic. By going out to Stone Ridge and over a very bad road through Atwood it is possible to again come into the Ashokan boulevard near the Brown's Station dam.

The purpose of the meeting on Tuesday was to have the contractor provide some means of using the West Hurley road while the work was being done and not close up the road entirely. A substitute road around the actual construction would relieve matters and not shut off traffic entirely from the Ashokan district.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

The Kingston Motor Car Exchange of 45 Janet street, Kingston, has sold a five passenger touring car to L. E. Herbert and George F. Freer has sold a touring car to Gordan H. Richards through the exchange.

$6,000 Position For Coffey.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, May 16.—Assemblyman William S. Coffey, of Mount Vernon, Westchester county, who has served for six years in the assembly, today resigned to become seretary of the state industrial commission at a salary of $6,000. His office will be in New York city. Mr. Coffey succeeds Henry E. Sayer, who was made a member of the commission.

Assemblyman Coffey is a son-in-law of Wallace H. Becker of this city.

The Egg and the Shell.

Eggshells are made chiefly of carbonate of lime, and the yolk is half water, half oil and albumen, while the white of an egg, as it is called, consists of water chiefly with albumen and a little phosphorus and sulphur. The yolk always floats at the top of the white, so to be as near as possible to the hen when she sits upon it to hatch it, while two cords attached to the yolk, one at each end, prevent it from actually touching the shell.

The Allegory.

A fine illustration of the allegory may be seen in Paul's epistle to the Galatians iv, 14, where the apostle gives an allegorical interpretation to the historical narration of Hagar and Sarah, drawing from it a deeper sense than is conveyed by the immediate representation.

Transferred.

"I hope you liked the pie, Henry," ventured a young wife, casting an anxious glance at her husband soon after dinner. "I bestowed great pains on the crust."

"I thought you did, my dear," he said, "for I've got the pains now."

Matched.

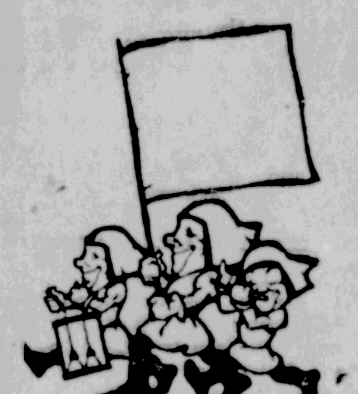
Towne—Met Gabbie and Perkins at a smoker last night and introduced them to each other. Browne—Oh, say, it's a shame to introduce a bore like Gabbie to anybody. Towne—It's evident you don't know Perkins or you'd see the humor of it.

Patriotic.

Warden—Have you ever been in any European jail? Prisoner—No! My motto has been to see America first.—Star of Hope.

Slow Game.

Madge—Was George fooling while you were playing golf? Marjorie—Gracious, I hope not! Why, I accepted him.



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"The Foolish Virgin," photoplay, at Kingston Opera House.

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THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges will hold meetings this evening:

Washington Camp, No. 2, P. O. S. A., in Mechanics' Hall, Henry street.

Mount Horeb Chapter, No. 75, R. A. M., in Masonic Hall, Wall street.

Kosciusko Lodge, No. 86, I. O. O. F., at 635 Broadway.

Aretas Lodge, No. 172, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows Hall, 36 East Strand.

Tappen Comp, No. 1, S. of V., in the armory.

The choir of the Daughters of Isabella will have a rehearsal at Pythian Hall Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend as the new books are here and those who have not secured the material for robes should do so at this meeting. Mrs. Leary wishes a large attendance.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

The goods in Turck's grocery store on Cedar street will be sold at public auction Saturday, May 19th, at 10 a. m.

Enlist With Co. M Before You Are Drafted

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF New York, by the Grace of God, Free and Independent.—To Harry Snyder, if living, residence unknown, and to his heirs at law, next of kin, legatees and devisees, if he be dead and whose names and places of residence are unknown and cannot after due diligence be ascertained; Frank Deyo, if living, residence unknown, and to his heirs at law, next of kin, legatees and devisees if he be dead and whose names and places of residence are unknown and cannot after due diligence be ascertained; Catherine Deyo, Kingston, New York.

You and each of you are hereby cited to show cause, at a surrogate's court to be held in and for the county of Ulster at the surrogate's office in the city of Kingston, in said county, on the 19th day of June, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why the last Will and Testament of Lydia H. B. Deyo, late of the city of Kingston, Ulster county, deceased, presented to said surrogate's court should not be admitted to probate and recorded as a Will of real and personal estate, in pursuance of the statute, on the petition of Virgil B. Van Wagonen of the city of Kingston, the executor named therein.

In Testimony Whereof, we have caused the seal of said surrogate's court to be hereunto affixed. Witness, Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of our said county, at the city of Kingston, the 15th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

(L.S.) WALTER H. GILL, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

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MISS FREEMAN TO UNFURL OLD GLORY

Originator of Fund for Flag and Staff on Academy Green to be Chief Figure in Interesting Patriotic Ceremony on Memorial Day

Miss Dorothy Freeman originator of the flag fund which bears her name will unfurl the flag which with its staff was realized through this fund on Kingston Academy Green on Memorial Day at noon The letter of invitation sent Miss Freeman and the reply are as follows

Kingston May 14 1917
Miss Dorothy Freeman City
At a meeting of the subcommittee on instruction of the Committee of Defense it was voted unanimously to invite you to unfurl the Dorothy Freeman American flag at the Academy Green on Memorial Day at 12 o'clock noon
Very Respectfully Yours
IRA BRITT Sec

The reply is as follows

Dear Mr Britt Sec
Thanking you I accept the honor of unfurling the flag on K A Green on Decoration Day I thank you for bestowing this honor upon me and always hope to be equal to any request concerning my flag my country and humanity
Devotedly
DOROTHY FREEMAN

MR UPDEGRAFF'S NEW NOVEL

A Bit of Ulster County Color Figures in Second Youth

An Ulster county genius once traced the source of all evil to the mince pie and supported his indictment by a wealth of testimony as to the pain and suffering imposed upon the American constitution through the overtaxing of the digestion due to indulgence in this popular form of pastry But as in most cases where toxins exist beneficial anti bodies are to be found it is probably so with pies at least with those of the blueberry variety served at the station counter in the West Shore restaurant in Kingston A wedge of such pie marks the turning point in the career of the hero of a new work of action just issued by Harpers Second Youth by Allan Updegraff an author well known in the literary world and in Woodstock as well where he is a member of the colony of summer residents The blueberry pie and Ulster county scenery which furnishes a setting for the concluding chapter are the chief bits of local color in the book the pie marking the turning point in the romance of Roland Francis a silk counter salesman possessed of a rare combination of diffidence charm and absence of humor

The story deals with the life of a clerk of middle age and the consequences of a chance encounter with a feminine customer who in emulation of her husband's penchant for pursuing sales girls tries a flirtation with Francis The resultant awakening of the hero and his further adventures and disturbing series of encounters with a miscellaneous assortment of females by no thing of the broadening of his experience on life and combine to make the volume one difficult to [illegible] aside until compelled by the tender which is a good deal more than can be said truthfully of the average modern novel Mr Francis is somewhat of a new character fiction although certain of his peculiarities remind us of some better known examples but the lightness of touch and the downright humor exhibited in the description of the encounters in this [illegible] store counter Don Quixote become involved make the relation of the same most entertaining

WASH DAYS WILL BE HARD

Ladies of Marys Will be Glad to Collect It

The women of the [illegible] ladies of Mary's church will request donations for the collection of newspapers magazines and waste paper to be sold for the purpose of raising a fund with which the circles may purchase materials for the making of the soldiers' comfort bags The plan is Mr John D Schoonmaker chairman of the committee will furnish the use of an auto truck beginning but to insure success to collect the paper from the various households and that the work will commence on the afternoon of the collection the city will be notified on certain days and will be the first day when the papers are having new paper magazine or waste paper which they are willing to contribute to the cause and living on Albany avenue from the city limits with entire long [illegible] Maiden Lane and on Fair street [illegible] have their papers on stand [illegible] are requested to [illegible] another and to have the waste paper in bags boxes or some other accessible Then they are asked to place the same on the front porches or other [illegible] that they may be collected with the least waste of time Six Boy Scouts will assist in gathering up the papers from the houses on the [illegible] hour for collection will be from 9 a m to 2 p m but the collection will not be gone over twice in the same day so that persons desiring the gift should [illegible]

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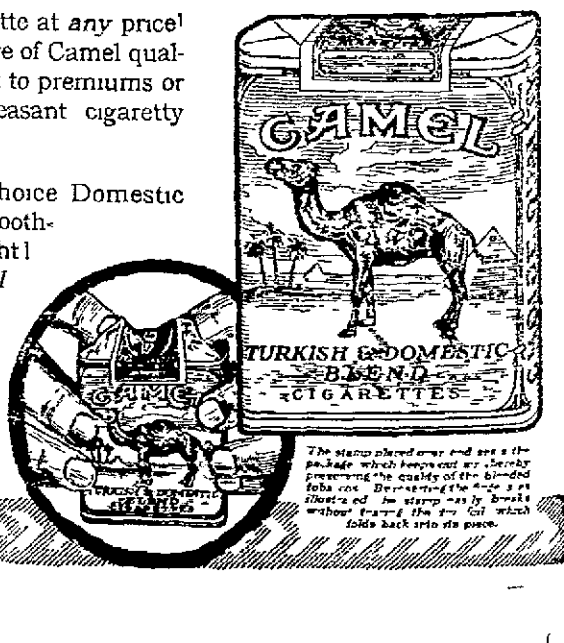

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Weather, cloudy.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman thermometer last night was 41 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 55 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, May 16.—Partly cloudy and warmer tonight and Thursday; moderate variable winds.

Sleeplessness.

When you are sleepless for no other apparent reason than that you just cannot get to sleep try the following remedy: Take seven to ten cloves. Place them in a cup. Pour on a cupful of boiling water. Let steep for ten minutes. Add a dash of nutmeg. Sweeten with wild honey. Drink before going to bed. It works in nine cases out of ten in all those instances in which sleeplessness does not arise from some deep-seated disorder.

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ELLENVILLE.

Ellenville, May 16.—The 28th anniversary of the Epworth League was celebrated by the local league members at the M. E. Church Sunday evening. The members occupied the front seats in a body—each member wore the Epworth League badge—red and white are the colors. The league is said to be the largest denominational young people's society in the world. Like the Christian Endeavor Society, the Epworth League, no matter what the number of its years, is ever young. The pastor, Rev. J. E. Appley, delivered a very excellent sermon appropriate for the occasion. Miss Carolyn Clark contributed a very beautiful soprano solo entitled "Sweeter as the Days Go By." There was very spirited singing of well known hymns by the choir and the large congregation present. At the close of the service H. W. Coons announced that it was the members of the official board of the church who were to tender a reception to the pastor and family Thursday evening. All members of the church congregation and friends were invited to attend. The reception will be held in the church lecture room at 8 o'clock.

At the Reformed Church Sunday evening the pastor, Rev. Walter S. Maines, delivered a very able sermon to a large congregation. The subject of the address was "How Women Can Help Win the War." A tribute to the Red Cross. The congregation joined heartily with the choir in the singing of four appropriate hymns with a special offertory anthem by the choir.

The laying of the corner stone of the George and John R. Hunt memorial building will take place on the afternoon of Wednesday, May 23, at 3 o'clock. It is to be fittingly observed with appropriate exercises under the direction of the building committee, Mrs. Smiley, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. DeVany, Mrs. Stratton and Mrs. Potter. The program will be announced later.

The ladies of the Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will hold their May meeting at the home of Mrs. E. E. Count on Park street Thursday afternoon. The leader is Mrs. G. F. Andrews and the topic Japan. Election of officers for ensuing year will take place at this meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Reformed Church will be held at the home of Mrs. John K. Lathrop on Warren street Thursday afternoon. The subject: "Colored People of the United States."

The music for Children's Day at the Reformed Church is here and the first rehearsal will be held Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the lecture room. All officers, teachers and members of the school are requested to be present.

Mrs. Robert Leslie Moffett of New York has arrived in Ellenville and is making her fine summer residence, "Knoll Acres," ready for occupancy.

Dr. Leslie Ernhout of Stevensville, Sullivan county, is spending some days in Ellenville.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Eaton, Mrs. Burr Eaton, Miss Mildred Eaton and George J. Hoornbeek were in Kingston Monday for the funeral of Mrs. Beni. C. Hornbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hyatt spent the week end at Claryville, Sullivan county, where they captured a fine catch of the speckled beauties.

Mrs. Ulster Palmer entertained the members of the Sewing Circle at her home on Market street Tuesday afternoon.

It is expected that Rev. H. G. Corleis will occupy the pulpit of the Lutheran Church on Sunday next as a candidate as pastor of this church.

George Ackley, the efficient and accommodating clerk at the Hoornbeek grocery for the past two years, has tendered his resignation and will take a position with the local Adams Express Company. George will be missed from the store.

The twenty-fifth annual convention of the Ulster County Christian Endeavor Union is to be held at Wallkill May 21-22. The Ellenville Union is to be represented.

A large number of the local high school boys are now employed at Yama Farms, Napanoch, going over mornings and back at night, taking with them large new and shining dinner pails. A good place for the boys to be employed.

NEW HURLEY.

New Hurley, May 16.—The Rev. C. B. Scholten preached at St. Andrew's last Sunday evening.

Miss Borcheding of Gardiner and Miss Lena Knapp of Wallkill were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schoonmaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Jenkins of Clintondale spent last Thursday in this place.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet on Friday afternoon, May 18, at the home of Mrs. William Hotaling, at which time arrangements will be made for a musical to be held in the church some time in June.

A fine crowd attended the Sunday school conference held in the church on Monday afternoon and evening.

On Friday evening, May 11, the members of the Circle and the Snawangunk "Y" were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Ira Merwin. After a short business meeting in charge of Ira Merwin, a member of both the "Y" and the Circle, the entertainment committee, consisting of the Hotalings, Miss Kittle and Mrs. Lee Hanmer, took charge. The subject was, "Mother's Day." A number of readings, recitations and a solo were rendered. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Merwin and a number of games were played. At a late hour all departed for their homes deciding that both societies felt better acquainted with each other and that the Merwin home was an ideal place for a good time.

Tremper Back On Route.

The steamer J. H. Tremper of the Central-Hudson line, is back on the Albany route again resuming trips on Tuesday. It will be remembered that she wrecked her rudder several days ago when she crashed into the dock in front of the towing office on the Rondout creek, and was taken to Hilltebrant's yard for repairs.

PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, May 16.—Mrs. A. E. Walker and son, Kenneth, and Mrs. Walker's mother, Mrs. L. A. Mayer, of New York city are visiting Mrs. Lucy Walker on Schryver street.

Mrs. Emma Terpening is ill at her home on Broadway. Dr. G. W. Ross is the attending physician.

Esopus Council, No. 42, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in their rooms in Hutton's Hall. The entertainment will be in charge of Mrs. Calvin Cutler and Mrs. John Spinneweber. All come and spend a pleasant evening.

Planting gardens has been the theme right along but Port Ewen philanthropics have them all beat as two gentlemen have had the side of the road plowed up and have their potatoes started already. Can any place the size of this village put one over?

The peach orchard of John Lampman, Sr., on Broadway is a very pretty sight; the buds are unfolding and remind one of a large flower garden.

The Sunday school board of the Methodist Episcopal Church will meet at the home of George W. Shultis on Broadway this evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

LATTINGTOWN.

Lattingtown, May 16.—A week ago Thursday night ice was formed in water pails left out doors, but fortunately the fruit buds were not far enough advanced to be damaged.

May Day exercises were held in District No. 7 Friday, May 4. The school grounds were cleared of rubbish and trees set out. The school was closed early.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wolley, John Wolley and Miss Etta Wolley motored to Newburgh not long since.

L. Rhodes, who was working for William Kaley, has begun the season working for S. B. Wygant.

Oliver Ansen and daughter, Miss achel, have gone to New Paltz on a visit.

Mr. Harhagen's new barn looks fine after being painted.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Craft were in town Saturday visiting.

Miss Reardon, the teacher, isn't going to teach another term here as a position has been obtained in a graded school near home.

At the recent school meeting William Kaley was elected trustee; E. A. Reynolds, collector; S. B. Wygant, clerk; M. Bassey, chairman. Tax to be raised, $600.

F. W. Vail and Son have purchased a new tractor to do the plowing in some fields in lieu of teams. It does the heavy work easily and relieves the horses.

The Poughkeepsie R. R. Bridge Company is taking great pains to protect it on the west side of the bridge, a barbed wire fence being erected very high on the ground below it. On the north and south sides, leading up to the level ground, from the top of this fence a wire netting is let down on each side to the ground. The soldiers or scouts are still on guard.

John Wolley has attended the Sunday evangelistic meeting held in New York.

Miss Cora Mackey, who has been working for some time in Poughkeepsie, has returned home for the summer.

C. G. Ruger, who was to come and spend the summer on his land here, has not yet put in appearance.

C. Harcourt, it is stated, has a college student helping him in the laborous fruit work.

Mr and Mrs. H. V. Mackey attended the French, English and American celebration in Newburgh last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Reynolds, C. A. Wolley and others also attended.

Bart. McGowen has obtained a one passenger automobile which he is learning to run.

The road men are again in town, working on the left over jobs.

S. M. Bull of Newburgh informed the writer before he died that flour was sold wholesale there at $20 per barrel during the Civil War.

Hail fell in this section last Saturday.

General Joffre's call for an American army on the "battle line" is timely if it could be transported through the submarine zone.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Craft spent Sunday away from home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Reynolds with a party of Newburgh people went to Billy Sunday's revival meeting one Sunday not long ago.

The New York papers and the press generally throughout the United States condemn the espionage bill passed by congress and signed by the president. The press in general speak no doubt for the people who should know how the government plans are being carried out, but President Wilson seeks to protect the army and naval plans from falling into the hands of the German government or the imperial spies of America. To Americans who are accustomed to free circulation of military news it seems like putting the flag over the constitution.

Albany Avenue Baptist Church.

This evening the missionary pageant, "Glimpses Along the King's Highway," which was so successfully produced a few weeks ago, will be given again at the Albany Avenue Baptist Church. Nearly one hundred people will take part, and all will be in costume, representng the people of Egypt, Indian, Burmah, China, Korea, Japan and American. No regular price of admission will be charged but a silver offering will be taken.

The prayer meeting will be held on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Boy Scouts will meet on Friday evening at 7:15 o'clock.

The pastor, the Rev. A. S. Cole, is now preaching a series of Sunday evening sermons on some of the prophets and their messsages for our own day. Last Sunday evening the sermon was on "Micah, the Prophet Who Had a Vision of Peace in a Time of War." Next Sunday the topic will be, "Zephaniah, the Prophet who Saw the Hand of God in a time of Calamity." On later Sunday evenings the sermons will be on the following topic: (1) "Nahum, the Prophet Who Foretold the Fall of Military Despotism." (2) "Habakkuk, the Prophet Whose Message Has Made History." (3) "Obadiah, the Prophet of Hate."

ON THE DIAMOND.

Games Played Yesterday in the Big Leagues.

National League.

Yesterday's Results.

St. Louis, 5; New York, 4 (10 innings.)
Brooklyn, 6; Cincinnati, 2.
Philadelphia, 8; Pittsburgh, 2.
Chicago, 8; Boston, 1.

Standing of The Clubs.

	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	20	9	.690
New York	13	7	.650
Philadelphia	13	8	.619
St. Louis	14	10	.583
Boston	8	11	.421
Cincinnati	12	17	.414
Pittsburgh	8	18	.308
Brooklyn	6	14	.300

American League.

Yesterday's Results.

New York, 7; St. Louis, 4.
Boston, 6; Cleveland, 5.
Washington, 11; Detroit, 5.
Chicago, 11; Philadelphia, 0.

Standing of The Clubs.

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	18	7	.696
New York	14	9	.609
Chicago	18	12	.600
Cleveland	15	14	.517
St. Louis	14	14	.500
Detroit	10	15	.400
Washington	9	16	.360
Philadelphia	7	16	.304

International League.

Yesterday's Results.

Newark, 7; Montreal, 7 (10 innings.)
Providence, 6; Buffalo, 4.
Toronto, 8; Richmond, 6.
Rochester, 4; Baltimore, 3.

Standing of The Clubs.

	W	L	Pct.
Baltimore	16	7	.696
Newark	13	6	.684
Providence	13	9	.591
Rochester	12	10	.545
Toronto	12	11	.522
Montreal	8	13	.381
Richmond	8	16	.333
Buffalo	6	16	.273

Games Scheduled Today.

National League.

St. Louis at New York, clear.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn, clear.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia, cloudy.
Chicago at Boston, clear.

American League.

Washington at Detroit, cloudy.
Boston at Cleveland, clear.
Philadelphia at Chicago, clear.
New York at St. Louis, clear.

International League.

Baltimore at Rochester, cloudy.
Providence at Buffalo, clear.
Richmond at Toronto, cloudy.
Newark at Montreal, clear.

Young Volunteers Win.

The Young Volunteers of Room No. 9, School No. 5, defeated School No. 2 by the score of 20 to 8. The line-up of the winning team was as follows: C. Osterhoudt, p.; G. Cole, c.; W. Haggerty, 1f.; I. Albrecht, rf.; F. Mooney, 3b.; J. Amen, cf.; J. Rosa, 2b.; H. Steeger, ss.; E. Norton, 1b.

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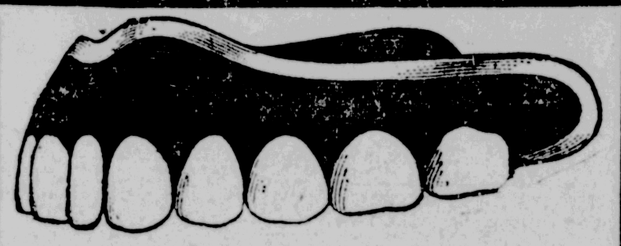

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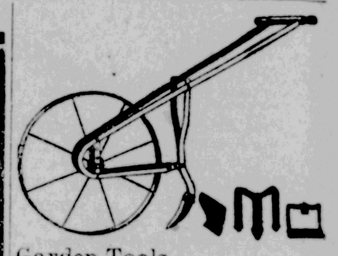

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HUGO SPEAKER IN SULLIVAN COUNTY

Autoists as a Whole are Assets to State, Secretary Says and Tells Liberty and Monticello Folks of Growth of Motor Traffic

Francis M Hugo secretary of state spoke at both Liberty and Monticello Tuesday evening May 15, addressing the members of the Sullivan County Automobile Club at the former place and the Community Club at the latter The major portion of Mr Hugo's talk at Liberty was devoted to the automobile its enormous increase in this state and its ever growing importance as a factor in the social and business world In his opening remarks Secretary Hugo spoke of the functions of a wide awake automobile club of first securing improved highways and then in seeing that they were properly maintained and sanctioning proper legislation—legislation not of the one-sided variety but of a type that is beneficial to the motorist to the pedestrian and to the public in general

The responsibility of the automobilist increases with every car that is registered said Mr Hugo There are as many types of motorists as there are cars today We have the careless one who drives through the country at a break neck speed endangering the life of every person he meets we have the type the worst of the lot the man who attempts to pilot his car while in a more or less intoxicated condition and I am thankful to say right here that his number are daily becoming less through the imposition of stiff fines and I only wish that they might be even more severe

And then we have the other sort the kind that we are proud of tens of thousands of them the automobilist who drives at a moderate speed enjoys the wonderful scenery for which the state is so justly famous and gets the fullest measure of pleasure from his car respecting the rights of others whether motorist or pedestrian The automobile clubs of this state are today doing a wonderful work in discouraging the reckless driver and encouraging those of the type last mentioned also in concentrating their efforts towards increasing our state highways one of the biggest assets that an commonwealth can have no matter whether you view it from an industrial an agricultural economic or pleasure standpoint

Secretary Hugo made reference to the tremendous increase in the motor vehicles of this state going back to 1901 when 954 cars were registered as compared with 295 000 today with receipts to the secretary of state's office of over $4 000 000 with indications that the four million dollar mark will be passed before the end of the present year Mr Hugo called the attention of his listeners to the fact that every cent of this vast amount is being used in betterring the state's highways except that portion which under the Brown law reverts to New York city and becomes a part of the general fund of that municipality

Reliable statistics tell us that only 15 per cent of the deliveries in our business world today is made by the railroad and the steamship the other 85 per cent falls to the motor vehicle and to the horse said Mr Hugo so that no stretch of the imagination is necessary to see the important place which the motor vehicle fills in the present day business world

In conclusion Secretary Hugo declared that it was the duty of every motorist to associate himself with some automobile club a unit to his fellow motorist to his community and to the public He said that the whole situation revolved itself eventually to a better citizenship a word which he said was fraught with far more meaning to the average American to the community the state and the nation than ever before because today the situation was striking straight from the shoulder and bringing home to everyone the obligation of true citizenship

In speaking to members of the Community Club Secretary Hugo made patriotism the predominating feature of his talk At the outset he said that it was the biggest proposition in this country today a country different in many respects from any other in the world the melting pot of a score of different nations amalgamated into one of many millions Mr Hugo referred to the manner by which these nations have become welded fused the church the public schools and the political systems each playing its part

Today we find all nationalities gathered under the Star Spangled Banner United America while it has been in taking an inventory of our resources industrially economically and from an agricultural viewpoint so that we may better know our own true preparedness From it all a new Americanism is being born one that finds expression in community pride and one that in its conclusion will result in America being more firmly cemented than ever before as it takes the leading place at the council table of the world

STONE RIDGE

Stone Ridge May 15—There will be an entertainment in the Grange Hall on Friday evening May 18 given by the young people of High Falls for the benefit of the Stone Ridge Red Cross After the entertainment dancing Music by Steve Miller Admission 25 cents

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The People of the State of New York to the Sheriff of the County of Ulster Greeting —You are hereby commanded to summon the several persons who shall have been drawn in your county to serve as jurors at a County Court to be held in and for said County at the Court House in the City of Kingston in said county on Monday the 4th day of June 1917 to appear thereat to bring before the said court [illegible] in the jail of said county together with all processes and proceedings by you remaining therein in your hands and make proclamation in manner prescribed by law notifying all persons bound to appear at the said court by recognizance or otherwise to appear thereat and requiring all justices of the Peace Coroners and other officers who have taken recognizance for the appearance of any person at such court or to have taken any inquisition or the examination of any prisoner or witness to return such recognizances inquisitions and examinations to the court at the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting

Witness Hon Irving Tenbroeck Esquire County Judge of Ulster County at the Court House in Kingston this 30th day of April 1917

F G TRAVER
District Attorney

PROCLAMATION—State of New York Ulster County ss The undersigned Sheriff of said County in conformity to a precept in his behalf directed and delivered by this proclamation requires all persons bound to appear at the County Court to be held in and for the said County of Ulster at Kingston in said county on Monday the 4th day of June 1917 at 9 o'clock in the afternoon of that day by recognizance or otherwise to appear thereat And he requires all Justices of the Peace Coroners and other officers who have taken any recognizance for the appearance of any person at said court or who have taken any inquisition or the examination of any prisoner or witness to return such recognizances inquisitions and examinations to the said court at the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting —Signed at the sheriff's office in said county April 30 1917

F T SHULTIS
Sheriff of Ulster County

PROCLAMATION

The People of the State of New York by the grace of God free and independent To the Sheriff of the county of Ulster Greeting We command you that you summon to be and appear at a term of the supreme court of the state of New York to be held by a justice of the supreme court at the court house in Kingston in and for the county of Ulster on the 1st Monday of May 1917 the petit jurors of the said county and further command you to bring before the said court all prisoners then being in the jail of the said county of Ulster together with all the processes and proceedings and writs concerning them in your hands And we further command you to make proclamation in the manner prescribed by law notifying all persons bound to appear at the said court by recognizance or otherwise to appear thereat and requiring all justices of the peace coroners and other officers who have taken any recognizance for the appearance of any person at the said court or who have taken any inquisition or the examination of any prisoner or witness to return such recognizances inquisitions and examinations to the said court on the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting and have then and there this precept

Witness Hon Wesley P Howard one of the Justices of our Supreme Court at the Court House in Kingston in said County the 30th day of April 1917

F G TRAVER
District Attorney

In pursuance to the above precept I hereby make proclamation that a term of the supreme court of the state of New York and jail delivery will be held at the Court House in Kingston in and for the County of Ulster on the 1st Monday of May next at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of the day and all persons who will prosecute against persons confined in the jail of said county are required to be then and there present to prosecute as may be just and all persons bound to appear by recognizance or otherwise are required to appear thereat and all justices of the peace coroners or other officers who may have taken any recognizance for the appearance of any person at the said court or who may have taken any inquisition or the examination of any prisoner or witness are required to return such recognizance inquisition and examination to the said court at the opening the roof and on the first day of the sitting thereof and to be then and there present with their rolls and records indictments and remembrances to do those things which to their offices pertain.

Kingston N Y April 10 1917
EDGAR T SHULTIS
Sheriff of Ulster County

NATIONAL GUARD FIRST IN FRANCE

That is Belief in Connection With Apportionment Orders—Nearly Quarter Million Men Needed to Bring Militia Up to War Strength

Special to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16—The militia bureau of the war department today completed the apportionment by states of National Guard units necessary to bring the state troops up to the maximum war strength of 424,800 men authorized in the national defense act.

The apportionment was made on the basis of 800 men to each senator and representative in congress. New York leads with a total allotment of 36,000 men out of which 31,500 are to be available for National Guard army organizations. The remaining 4,500 is the navy's portion for use as naval militia. Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada and Wyoming have the smallest allotment—2,400 men each.

The possibility of National Guard units being among the first troops ordered to French soil for service in the trenches is seen in the orders issued by Brigadier General Mann, chief of the militia bureau, that completion of cavalry units is not desired. The instructions to adjutants general also state that coast artillery, infantry, field artillery, engineers and field hospital and ambulance corps are to be recruited first in order named. The present units of National Guard, the instructions assert, are to be recruited up to war strength before new units apportioned each state are organized.

The present strength of the National Guard, the militia bureau figures show, in round numbers 186,000. The war strength of the present organizations is 330,000. Thus [illegible] men are needed to equip the present organizations for work in the field and 238,000 men must volunteer or be drafted to place the guard at the maximum figure of 424,800 authorized by congress.

The National Guard of the nation has been divided into sixteen divisions with the following state allotments by divisions:

Maine 4,500 (600 for naval militia) New Hampshire 2,200 (400 naval militia) Massachusetts 14,400 (1,800 naval militia) Connecticut [illegible] (700 naval militia) Rhode Island 4,000 (500 naval militia) Vermont 3,200

New York 36,000 (4,500 naval militia)

Pennsylvania 30,400 (1,200 naval militia)

Louisiana 8,000 (600 naval militia)

California 10,400 (1,300 naval militia) Utah 3,200 Arizona 2,400 Colorado 4,800 New Mexico 2,400 Nevada 2,400

Washington [illegible] (700 naval militia) Oregon 4,000 (500 naval militia)

[illegible] Idaho 2,200

[illegible]

New Jersey [illegible] (1,100 naval militia)

[illegible] District of Columbia [illegible] for naval militia) Virginia [illegible]

North [illegible] (1,000 naval militia) South Carolina 7,200 (900 naval militia) Tennessee [illegible]

Alabama [illegible] Georgia 11,000 Florida [illegible] (700 naval militia)

Michigan [illegible] (1,000 naval militia) Wisconsin 10,400

Illinois [illegible] (2,000 naval militia)

Minnesota [illegible] (1,200 naval militia) North Dakota 4,000 South Dakota [illegible] Iowa 10,400 Nebraska [illegible]

Kansas 8,000 Missouri 14,400 (300 naval militia)

Texas [illegible] (300 naval militia) Oklahoma 8,000

Ohio [illegible] (2,400 naval militia) West Virginia 6,400

Kentucky [illegible]

Indiana 12,800

Arkansas [illegible] Mississippi 8,000

May Mental Clinics

The regular monthly mental clinic will be held on [illegible] May 15 at the office of the [illegible] agent, 14 John street, Kingston, from ten to twelve and from one to four. All people who are interested in their own mental condition or mental condition of relatives or friends are earnestly requested to call and receive expert advice from physicians from the Middletown State Hospital.

CO. M, 10th INF.
Needs Men Join Now

DIAMOND RING IS A CONTEST PRIZE

Young Ladies Entered in Feature of Odd Fellows' Carnival—Athletic Field to be Scene of Amusement Offerings

Fair contestants are being enlisted in the ladies popularity contest which is to feature the Odd Fellows carnival to be given in Kingston the week of May 21 and initial announcement of the standing will be made Thursday. Entrants are Miss Elizabeth McCullough of the Rose Gorman Rose store, Miss Helen Price of the Stuyvesant Hotel and Miss Klein of the L. B. Van Wagenen Company. The prizes are a diamond ring, a bracelet and a LaVallière.

There will also be a boys contest for a bicycle together with other attractions in connection with the carnival. The Krause Shows which will hold forth on Athletic Field for carnival week are spoken of as a clean and entertaining combination of attractions. Miss Minnie Meyers high diving girl is one of the free attractions on the program and Odd Fellows generally are active in working for the success of the carnival.

SAUGERTIES

Saugerties, May 16—Mrs. Irving Russell and Miss Lulu Eckert of John street leave Thursday for a visit with relatives in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutger Hurty who have been spending the past week at their summer home Clifton on Barclay Heights have returned to New York city.

Mrs. Claude Manning of Freeport, L. I., is a guest at the Maxwell House.

John Martin of Main street is in New York city.

Mrs. James Reynolds is critically ill at her home on Second street.

Mrs. Mae Lecro of Albany is visiting her daughter on Finn street.

Hilary Harris of Jane street is in New York city.

Confirmation services were held in St. Mary's Church this morning at 10 o'clock. Bishop [illegible] of New York city officiated at the ceremonies.

George Seamon of John street has purchased a Franklin touring car.

Mrs. Alice Phillips of Ulster avenue has entered the [illegible] on Cleveland [illegible] daily.

Theodore Eckert of [illegible] street is the new [illegible] at the Maxwell House Cafe.

Ends at Madison Barracks

Another Kingston boy who has been ordered to report at Madison Barracks, Sackets Harbor, N. Y., is David Finley, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Finley of Hunter street. Mr. Finley was a student at Cornell University.

[illegible] Saturday evening that he had received his commission as captain and [illegible] ordered to report at the barracks.

Canadian Coal Miners Strike

[illegible]

Montreal, May [illegible] A strike of [illegible] coal miners [illegible] being mined in western [illegible] today. The United Mine Workers in Alberta were called out [illegible] when their demand for a 25 per cent increase in wages was refused. The operators offered an advance of [illegible] per cent.

Path to Glory

No path of flowers leads to glory.—J. de la Fontaine.

COMPANY M LOSES 24 MEN

Captain Meagher of Company M felt much aggrieved Tuesday evening when he was forced by orders from division headquarters to hand discharges to 24 members of the local command who had dependents. These men were the backbone of the organization, many holding warrants as non-commissioned officers and among them were men who had served a full enlistment besides being expert shots.

By losing these men Company M [illegible] more men for the line. Beginning Thursday further efforts to stimulate recruiting will be put in force by the officers and men to bring in the men needed to fill the ranks of the local guard company.

ELLENHARDT

Ellenhardt, May 16—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Van Leuven of Krumville spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jane Quick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Chrissey of Napanoch called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jarie Quick Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rice and Mrs. Lo [illegible] of Kerhonkson visited at Peter Barnhart's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford of Mombaccus, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Van Loon and two children of Tabasco, Mrs. M. Ayer, Mrs. Pogart and Gus Ayers and friend of West Hurley visited at the home of Henry DeWitt on Sunday.

Mrs. Vernon Barnhart and son Peter spent Saturday night and Sunday at her former home in [illegible].

Mr. Norman Quick visited friends at Napanoch and Wawarsing Saturday and Sunday.

Henry DeWitt and Grover Smith have been doing some work for Mrs. Joseph Solsberg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hornbeck and daughter Edith and Mr. [illegible] Quick of Wawarsing called at the Herman Quick's Sunday morning.

Saugerties Property Sold

Augustus Shultis as referee in a mortgage foreclosure proceedings brought by Alois Kraft has sold the [illegible] Kiercher property at Shultis Corner in the town of Saugerties to the plaintiff in the action for $1,[illegible]. Benjamin Rose appeared for the plaintiff.

Wonders of Jupiter

If Jupiter were cut up into 1,000 [illegible] each would be larger than the earth. All the planets together do not weigh half as much as Jupiter. Only the sun surpasses Jupiter in size. A year on the planet Jupiter is equal to twelve of ours. Jupiter rotates on its axis in less than half the time of the earth. [illegible] the great [illegible] of the planet [illegible] much higher. While the earth travels seventeen miles a minute, Jupiter travels [illegible] miles a minute. [illegible]

[illegible] as some flywheel [illegible] when the [illegible] in safe speed [illegible] either [illegible] a decent [illegible] or a developing earth. He has not yet had time to cool. He is a globe of gaseous and molten matter, the most extraordinary planet in the solar system.—Rochester Express.

Easily Explained

Hub—I'm puzzled about the house money, Mary. If I give you a lot you spend a lot, but if I don't give you so much you seem to get along with it just as well. Wife—It's very simple, dear. When you give me a lot I use it to pay the bills I run up when you don't give me so much.

GIVE THE CHILD A TREE.

If Possible, Let Him Plant One and Own It All Himself.

Every child should own a tree. A tree is a symbol of life. It lives. It stands for everything that is noble. It is rooted in the soil and stretches itself toward heaven. It stands for patience, humility, persistence, beauty, courage and God.

The child should plant the tree himself and thereafter watch it grow year by year. He should put his hands on its rough bark and say, "This is my tree. I will stand by it and live up to it."

It is curious how blind we sometimes are to certain ideals because we can not see and handle them. We need something to connect us with the invisible but none the less potent and formative world of aspiration and inspiration. What could be better than a tree.

There is something about the silent beauty of a tree that casts over us a spell of calmness and invincibility. The storms of life may sway us and break our branches, the grim and melancholy autumn may strip us of our brilliance, but the spring will come once more and clothe us in a new glory. So we go on fulfilling the majesty of the law.

If your child owns a tree the memory of its beneficent influence will cling to him through life.—Country Gentleman.

WINDOW BLINDS

Called an Invention of the Evil One to Keep Out Sunlight

God said, "Let there be light." The devil whispered to men, and blinds were invented. So writes Dr. [illegible] of New York in an article [illegible] Heliophobia a Menace to the Community, published in the Medical Record.

According to a bulletin of the American Association for the Conservation of Vision at least half the children [illegible] afflicted with defects of sight.

As a matter of fact [illegible] from being injurious [illegible] of the most successful [illegible] home the common [illegible]

Dr. Robbins is amazed at the number of persons who find straight [illegible] and at the number who still [illegible] the [illegible] and long exploded [illegible] the home is bad for the eye. He blames the persons in authority in [illegible] postoffices and railroad [illegible] for [illegible] and other [illegible] and cars [illegible] the [illegible] to wear smoked glasses and [illegible] of [illegible]

BUSINESS NOTICES

The goods [illegible] store [illegible] Central street will be sold at public auction Saturday, May 19th, at 10 a. m.

LARGE FRESH **Herring** lb. **7c**

Haddock, lb. 8c

White Halibut Steaks, lb. 22c

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Fancy Texas **Onions** Lb **7½c**

Fresh Country **EGGS** Doz **37c**

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—[illegible] Walter N. Gill, Surrogate [illegible] notice is hereby given [illegible] all persons having claims against [illegible] late of the [illegible] deceased, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned [illegible] on or before the [illegible] day of November, 1917.

[illegible]

FESTEFINE D. ROUE [illegible]
[illegible] Attorney [illegible] Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, Surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given according to law to all persons having claims against Agatha Fluck, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned Vinzenz Dittmar, the executor of the estate of said deceased, at No. 582 Broadway, in the said city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the [illegible] day of November, 1917.

Dated May 2nd, 1917.

VINZENZ DITTMAR, Executor.

Frederick Stephan, Jr., Attorney for Executor, 1 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, Surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given according to law to all persons having claims against Joseph Schaeffer, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned Eva Schaeffer, the executrix of the estate of said deceased, at her residence, No. 14 Greenkill Ave., in the said city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 5th day of November, 1917.

Dated May 1st, 1917.

EVA SCHAEFFER, Executrix.

Frederick Stephan, Jr., Attorney for Executrix, 1 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

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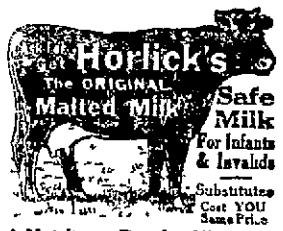

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SEND GREETING

You and each of you are hereby cited to show cause at a surrogate court to be held in and for the county of Ulster at the surrogate's office in the city of Kingston in said county on the 21st day of May next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day why the account of proceedings of John R Tammany administrator of the estate of William C Tammany as administrator of the goods chattels and credits which were of said deceased should not be judicially settled and allowed upon the petition of said administrator

In Testimony Whereof we have caused the seal of office of said surrogate to be hereunto affixed Witness Hon Walter N Gill surrogate of our said county at the City of Kingston the 1st day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen

(L S) WALTER H GILL
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT Ulster County—The Home Seekers Cooperative Savings and Loan Association of the City of Kingston Plaintiff against John W Asch and Emma Asch his wife Edward F Collins as committee of Emma Asch an incompetent person The Kingston National Bank and Emma V Cox defendants

To the above named defendants

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service hereof and in case of your failure to appear or answer judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint

Dated to be filed in the county of Ulster February 20th 1917

FREDERICK STEPHAN JR
Plaintiff's Attorney
Office and P O address
No 21 Broadway
Kingston N Y

To John W Asch and Emma Asch his wife

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of Hon C D J Hasbrouck a Justice of the Supreme court of the state of New York dated the 11 day of May 1917 and filed with the complaint in the office of the clerk of Ulster county at the city of Kingston county of Ulster and state of New York

FREDERICK STEPHAN JR
Plaintiff's Attorney
Office and P O Address
No 21 Broadway
Kingston N Y

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF New York by the Grace of God Free and Independent

To Frank Wilfert and Hamilton Trust company guardian of the property of Frank Wilfert an infant

SEND GREETING

WHEREAS Henry Kastler late of the Borough of Brooklyn city of New York deceased has rendered his account as executor of Margaret Wilfert deceased late residing at Napanoch township of Ulster state of New York and a petition praying that his account may be judicially settled

NOW THEREFORE we and each of you are hereby cited to show cause before the surrogate's court of the county of Ulster to be held in the surrogate's court room in the city of Kingston county of Ulster on the 22nd day of May 1917 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon why such settlement should not be had

In Testimony Whereof we have caused the seal of said surrogates court to be hereunto affixed Witness Hon Walter N Gill surrogate of our said county at the city of Kingston in the said county the 11th day of April 1917

WALTER H GILL
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

NOTICE TO CREDITORS —In pursuance of an order of Hon Walter N Gill surrogate of Ulster county notice is hereby given according to law to all persons having claims against Kate Hasbrouck late of the town of Marbletown county of Ulster deceased intestate to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned Moses S Davis the administrator of the estate of said deceased at his residence High Falls in the said county of Ulster on or before the 15th day of June 1917

Dated December 12, 1916

MOSES S DAVIS
As Administrator etc of
Kate Hasbrouck Deceased

V B Van Wagenen Attorney Kingston

NOTICE TO CREDITORS —In pursuance of an order of Hon Walter N Gill surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given according to law to all persons having claims against John J Campbell, late of the city of Kingston county of Ulster deceased intestate to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned Annie F Campbell, the administratrix of the estate of said deceased at her residence No 90 St James Pl Kingston in the said county of Ulster on or before the 10th day of June, 1917

Dated December 6, 1916

ANNIE F CAMPBELL
As Administratrix of Estate of John J Campbell, Deceased

V B Van Wagenen, Attorney Kingston N Y

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ROOSEVELT AND CHANDLER GUESTS OF GOVERNOR

Luncheon and Conference at Executive Mansion at Which Prominent Men Meet for Consultation

By Telegraph to The Freeman

Albany May 16 —Met in person by Governor Whitman at the station Col Theodore Roosevelt arrived here at 11 30 today and was driven by automobile to the executive mansion for a war conference The colonel declined to be interviewed until later He came alone

Col Roosevelt's appearance upon the platform was the signal for a cheer which was raised by those who had gathered there He lifted his hat descended and at once shook hands with Governor Whitman who advanced with a smile to meet him Words of cordial greeting passed between them after which taking the arm of the former president Governor Whitman led him down the stairs to the station subway and to a waiting automobile A squad of secret service men followed

It is impossible for me to say anything now said Roosevelt leaning out of the automobile before it was driven away Comments were fragrant from the crowd as to the availability of the colonel and his soldierly appearance

Discussing the visit of Roosevelt Governor Whitman said that he did not know its exact importance It is to talk over the situation in a general way he said Asked if it might not be to remove the bestowal of a major generalship the executive replied that it was within his power to make such an appointment

Col Roosevelt General W W Witherspoon Adjutant General Scotesbury Major Chandler Quartermaster General of the new state constabulary Major Hoppin and Senator Theodore Douglas Robinson are to be my luncheon guests at the executive mansion today said the governor

Col Roosevelt plans to remain in Albany with the governor all day It is not expected that he will leave the executive mansion Whatever statement he may care to give out will be forthcoming later if he talks

The colonel wore his famed slouch hat and looked every inch a soldier as he walked briskly through the station subway with Governor Whitman and his military secretary Major Hoppin

SHOT AT SUNRISE FOR LESE MAJESTY

American Woman Stood Up Before Prussian Firing for Criticising Kaiser His Husband Believes —Illness Pastor Receives News of Wife's Death

By Telegraph to The Freeman

Washington May 16—Shot at sunrise last Friday morning as a spy and also because she criticised the supreme war lord of Germany Mrs James Couch wife of an American clergyman will find her name linked in history with Edith Cavell the British nurse who met the same fate at the hands of a Prussian firing squad Officials in possession of the meagre facts in the case made this plain today

The United State has no official word of the execution It can take no action even when the official word comes officials say But the bitter resentment that a woman who had spent most of her life on free soil although not an American citizen is certain to spread to every section of the country

Possibly Mrs Couch was a spy Officials say that everything now days is possible in war But that she did not have a fair trial is apparent officials say from the meagre information coming from Germany by way of Switzerland

St Francisville Ill May 16—That his wife was shot for criticising the kaiser in a letter to him instead of because she was guilty of espionage was the belief expressed today by her husband the Rev James Couch in discussing receipt of news that Mrs Couch had been put to death in Germany

Mr Couch received a message from the Swiss foreign office at Berne saying that Mrs Couch had been shot at sunrise Friday as a spy The message was the first news the pastor had received of his wife in months All efforts to communicate with her he said had been in vain

Mr Couch went to Germany six months ago to visit her father She was not a naturalized citizen of the United States though America had been her residence since she was 11 years old

China and Its People

About 95 per cent of the population of China is confined to one third of the area of the country with a density of 200 to the square mile Five per cent of the population inhabits 65 per cent of the area with a density of ten to the square mile

Dainty Boxes.

In Sicily one frequently sees dainty little circular boxes pale yellow in color, painted in heraldic designs and giving off the sweet smell of oranges They are used for pins small jewels or collar buttons and are in fact orange skins

Doubts and Don'ts

Remember Talleyrand's advice. If you are in doubt whether to write a letter or not—don't. The advice applies to many doubts in life besides that of letter writing.—Bulwer Lytton.

JUDGE JENKINS ON BEANS, MEXICAN

Court Finds Salesman's Story "Improbable" and Upholds Tony Nekos as to Purchase

Judge Jenkins has handed down a decision in the case of Ward W Letts doing business under the assumed name of Letts & Chuten Company against Tony Nekos of this city, in which he finds that the story of Nekos is probable and that of the salesman for the plaintiff on which the lawsuit was started by his employer is improbable

The facts are set forth fully in the memorandum written by Judge Jenkins The case was tried before Judge Jenkins at county court chambers several hearings being held Letts was represented by John W Eckert with Senator Walton of counsel Van Etten & Cook represented Nekos

Judge Jenkins's memorandum is as follows

The plaintiff claims that on August 30th 1911 the defendant ordered one half can of Mexican beans fourteen pounds at $4 50 to be delivered January 1st 1912 and he produces a paper upon which are the words

1 Can Mex Beans
$4 50
(Jan 1 12)
Formula
14 lb Receipt 1 oz beans
95 Cologne spirits
Tony Nekos

The defendant says that he was solicited by one O Neil to buy vanilla beans but told him that he had a sufficient supply After some conversation as to the desirability of manufacturing vanilla extract from the bean instead of buying it prepared the defendant said he had plenty of beans but could not buy cologne spirits in a larger quantity than two gallons in the city of Kingston (Cologne spirits are used in the manufacture of vanilla extract) O Neil said he knew a firm from whom five gallons of cologne spirits could be purchased at once and taking one of the defendant's bill heads he asked defendant to write his name so that the sellers would know to whom to ship the cologne spirits O Neil had rheumatism and could not write well

O Neil says that he wrote the formula for the use of cologne spirits on the order and above Nekos's name the formula to be used by the defendant Nevertheless he took the formula away with him He explains that he was about to return it when the beans were shipped

The theory of the plaintiff seems to be that after the quantity and price of Mexican beans were written the formula was tacked on The paper itself refutes this theory as the markings clearly show that the formula was written down before the words which it is claimed constitute an order

The rise is a question of veracity between Nekos and O Neil To me the story of Nekos is probable that of O Neil improbable

It follows that the plaintiff has failed to establish his cause of action by a preponderance of the evidence and judgment should be given for the defendant dismissing the complaint with costs

Submit findings and judgment

NAVY YARD HAS A MYSTERY IN FIRE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York May 16—What happened at a fire in the Brooklyn navy yard last night is as much a mystery to the public today as it was at 11 p m when several thousand persons gathered outside the reservation to watch dense clouds of smoke curl toward Rear Admiral Usher commandant of the yard today refused all information Brooklyn firemen also were sworn to secrecy as a military necessity

It was reported that a five story brick receiving building containing clothing and other supplies had been totally destroyed with a loss of several hundred thousand dollars

Admiral Usher is said to have started a rigid investigation to learn not only the origin of the fire but the cause of a stubborn fire on the destroyer Roe in drydock last Saturday night

THE MAN AND HIS JOB.

Every Worker Should Get a Chance to Exercise His Ability

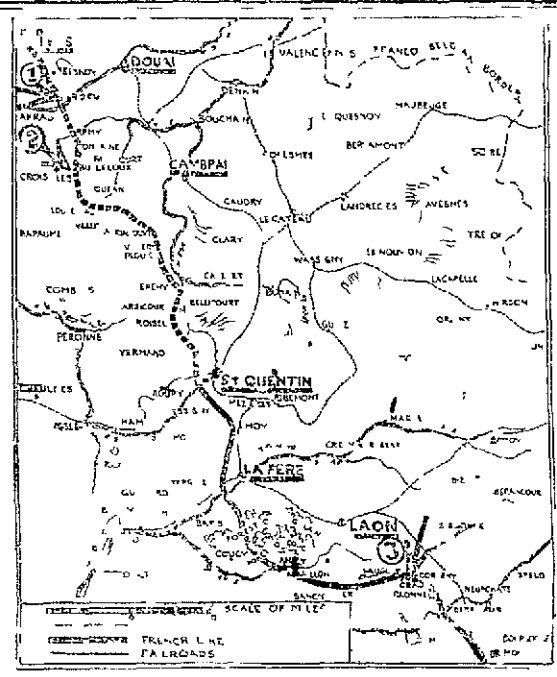
In the American Magazine Herman Schneider dean of the school of engineering of the University of Cincinnati who has devoted his life to a study of human ability and fitting the right job to the right man says

There is a new psychology of work One of its most inspiring principles is that the man who makes a failure on one job is likely to make a success of the job of an opposite type assuming of course, that he fails in the face of real effort. This is the significance of failure It points the way to an occupation which means success Failure to a willing man is merely misplacement on his job Failure at one job is not a calamity it is an indication Every failure is a guidepost to success

"Fortunately some employers are beginning to understand this When a man fails at one job they shift him to another of an opposite type. And if the worker is not lazy or dishonest he usually succeeds No foreman should be allowed to discharge a man He should merely report to a central office that the man is not successful on his particular kind of work. In another department he may break records. To fire a man who has failed at one job is poor business. The shifting of failures means the making of successes."

VIRGINIA HORSEWOMAN OFFERS AID TO GOVERNMENT

In order to serve her country as her husband and sons are doing Mrs Allen Potts noted horsewoman of Gordonsville Va will sell her stable of thoroughbreds and tender her services to the government Mrs Potts is a well known figure in horse show circles and has ridden many blue ribbon winners Her husband Major Allen Potts will have charge of the training camp at Petersburg Va where 30 000 men will be trained Her son is a student at the Virginia Military Institute and will soon enter the army The photograph shows Mrs Potts and her blue ribbon winner Day Star II



IN DEADLY GRIP BEFORE ARRAS

Terrific fighting according to reports from London and Paris is still taking place near Pullecourt (1) at the southern end of the Arras line The British have advanced slightly south of the Scarpe and on the north bank of the Sensee east of Roeux (2) a German counter attack has been beaten back with a capture of prisoners Heavy German thrusts on the Crionne Plateau (3) were repulsed by the French

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WELLESLEY GIRLS JOIN ORGANIZATION FOR RED CROSS AID

Girls attending Wellesley College have formed an organization to aid the American Red Cross These two students Miss Hortense Barcalo and Miss Helen Moore both of the class of 18 are leaders in the college organization Miss Moore being chairman of the campaign committee

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Johnny was invited to a party, but could not go because he had to go with his mother to the depot to meet his uncle. Upon the uncle's arrival he said to Johnny "If you are a good boy while I am here I will buy you a base ball," whereupon Johnny replied "You don't need to wait You can buy it right away Just think how good I was—I stayed away from a party to meet you.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS —In pursuance of an order of Hon Walter N Gill surrogate of Ulster county notice is hereby given according to law to all persons having claims against Thomas D P Fuhrer late of the city of Kingston county of Ulster deceased intestate to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned Thomas D P Fuhrer the executor of the estate of said deceased, at his residence 108 Fair street Kingston in the said county of Ulster on or before the first day of June 1917

Dated November 22 1916

THOMAS D P FUHRER,
Executor etc of Estate of
Van Bomble deceased

V B Van Wagenen Attorney, Kingston

SECRETARY HUGO VISITS KINGSTON

Secretary of State Frank H Hugo who was one of the speakers at the annual banquet of the Sullivan County Automobile Club at Liberty Tuesday night reached Kingston on the D L & W Ontario & Western train this afternoon on his way to Albany

He was met at the depot by H C H Bogart president of the Ulster County Automobile Club and was the guest at luncheon at the Eagle Hotel Others at the dinner and at the office of the Ulster County Automobile Club and county officials Division Engineer Watt of the state highway department was also present

Among the matters discussed informally in addition to automobile legislation and regulations was the matter of closing the Kingston West Hurley road while it is being improved and reconstructed and the detours which it is possible to provide

State Comptroller Eugene M Travis who was also one of the speakers at the Sullivan county banquet Tuesday night returned to Albany this morning and was a guest at the Stuyvesant between trains

PRIVATES' PAY $30 A MONTH

By Telegraph to The Freeman

Washington May 16 By a vote of 199 to 177 the house today voted to recommit the conference report on the army conscription bill with instructions that the pay of enlisted men of the army be increased to $30 a month This action reverses the action of the conferees of the two branches of congress in fixing the soldiers pay at $30 a month and insures further delay in the enactment of the administration's conscription bill

The motion to recommit was made by Representative Good of Iowa As the bill passed the house provided an increase to $30 a month for enlisted men while the senate fixed the monthly pay at $35 Representative Good insisted that the conferees should have adopted one or the other figure

NEW COMMISSION HAS ORGANIZED

Judge Betts Hon Harcourt J Pratt of Richland and Carl Fahrmann of New York city composing the new Adirondack Forest Preserve Commission appointed several days ago by Judge Hasbrouck organized in the court house at noon today by the election of Judge Betts as chairman

William McM Speer counsel for the city of New York outlined the plan adopted by other commissions in his inspecting the section from which the claims to be passed and of holding hearings on Senator Charles W Walton who was present said he desired to try a number of claims speedily and the commission adjourned until next Monday when it will hold its first hearing

DYNAMITE DOES DAMAGE AT "SOO"

Grandstand and Five Laborers Killed at Fort Brady—Martial Law Prevails at Locks

By Telegraph to The Freeman

Sault St Marie Mich 16—Martial law prevails about the Soo locks as a result of a dynamite explosion at 5 30 o'clock this morning which killed six men and injured several others at Fort Brady here

One National Guardsman was killed The others were laborers Troops from the fort have taken charge of the situation The fish hatchery and adjoining buildings suffered damage The military authorities have not given out a list of the dead nor made any statement as to the cause of the explosion

The Philosopher

A philosopher is a fellow who manages to say what you knew all along but don't realize you did until he said it

DIED

May 16 1917

In memory of Edward Roosa beloved son of Golden and Kathrine Roosa, died May 16, 1916 aged five years and seven months

Our life knows now but one great purpose
The glories of the unseen world to share,
To make each day a stepping stone to Heaven,
Because we know our little boy is there

PARENTS AND GRANDPARENTS

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SOCIETY NOTES

The S S Club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Ella Ahrens on First avenue

Mrs Joseph Hales delightfully entertained Tuesday evening at her residence No 320 Hasbrouck avenue a number of friends at five hundred At the close of play, refreshments were served.

Plans for the dance to be given at St Colman's Hall East Kingston on Saturday evening, May 19 under the auspices of the Children of Mary Sodality of St Colman's Church are now completed and indications point to a rousing success The committee ladies are working zealously for a large attendance Fish's orchestra will be present The music for the dancing will be under the direction of Prof Schwalbach which in itself will be a magnet to the lovers of the Terpsichorean art Refreshments will be on sale during the evening

A very pleasant birthday surprise party was held at the home of Mr and Mrs S I Meyer of Tillson N Y in honor of their daughter Marie I Meyer on Saturday evening Dancing and games were enjoyed after which dainty refreshments were served The rooms were very prettily decorated with the patriotic colors Miss Meyer was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gift Those present were Mrs C D Myers Mr and Mrs Erastus Freer Misses Gladys and Marguerite Christ Jane Du Freer Helen Keator Lena Krumper Florence Meyer Florence and Elizabeth Haines Elvira and Ida Depuy Augusta Gaehler Miss Ida and Adelaide Harmes Messrs Clyde Craig Floyd Keator Percy Keator Henry Miedle Lester Clark Millard Keator John Muller Harvey Maroon of Walden and Mortimer Hyman of Harlem N Y At twelve o'clock the guests departed wishing Miss Meyer many more years of happiness

Adams Van Dyke

Miss Florence B Van Dyke of Catskill and J William Adams of Boston were married Monday afternoon by the Rev R F Bell The bride is a daughter of D A Van Dyke well known contractor of Catskill and the niece of Mrs Brown of 165 Bruyn avenue this city Mr Adams is publicity counsellor for National Advertisers Mr and Mrs Adams are now stopping at the Stuyvesant

Cahill Henry

Miss Margaret Henry daughter of Mr and Mrs James Henry of No 7 New street and Daniel J Cahill of No 6 South Clinton avenue were married at five o'clock Tuesday afternoon at St Joseph Church by the Rev Wm O'Hara in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives The bride wore a traveling gown of dark blue taffeta and was attended by Miss Edna Morris who was in white gowned John Maloney was best man After a wedding breakfast at the home of the bride Mr and Mrs Cahill left town on the 10 17 o'clock West Shore train for a wedding trip to Kansas Mr Cahill is employed in the operating department of the West Shore railroad and both he and his bride have many friends in town

Annual Federation Meeting

The annual meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs will be held on Saturday afternoon at the Wurts Street Baptist Church the Colonial members acting as hostesses for the afternoon All members of the executive committee are asked to call by the president Mrs E N Moulton to attend an executive meeting at 4 o'clock at the same place and immediately preceding the regular meeting. The address and musical program arranged by the Colonial and which will include vocal selections by Miss Ivens and Miss Hoy of New York soprano and alto soloists at the church and an address on Women of Italy Yesterday and Today by Mrs Walling Clark who comes highly recommended as a speaker by the president of Wells College will begin at 5 o'clock

Mendelssohn Club Concert

For fifteen years the members of the Mendelssohn Club have entertained their many friends—and they certainly are rich friends—with a delightful complimentary concert given at the close of their year of rehearsals At last evening's concert given at the high school auditorium with Harry P Worden conducting the club gave its fifteenth concert assisted by Miss Grace Kerns of New York soprano and William Wheeler of New York tenor with Charles Gilbert Spross of New York the accompanist of the soloists and Emil Kuehn accompanist of the club Through the courtesy of William Williams the Broadway florist the stage was artistically decorated with palms lilies and azaleas arranged behind a quaint hedge of box American flags formed the background of the pleasing picture

The evening's music opened with the singing of the Star Spangled Banner by the club and as the audience arose to its feet a beautiful large American flag was lowered at the back of the stage with applause but no undue enthusiasm on the part of the audience

The first number on the program was Foote's arrangement of Bayard Taylor's Bedouin Love Song and it was admirably sung by the club with fineness of shading and accuracy of pitch The club has gained much in that piano and pianissimo passages were sung with delicacy and cleanness Mr Wheeler's first number was the stirring Sound an Alarm from Judas Maccabaeus by Handel It was sung with spirit and fervor but seemed not quite so well suited to the sympathetic quality of Mr Wheeler's pleasing tenor voice as the exquisite encore which followed

This was followed by two numbers sung by the club A Nocturne by Prochero and Hush by Neidlinger The second number so delighted the audience that the club was forced to repeat the same

Miss Kerns who possesses a true soprano voice of wide range, and a finished and brilliant technique, called forth enthusiastic applause with her singing of the group of songs Oh quand je dors' by Liszt 'Twilight Dreams by Sibella Life and Death by Coleridge-Taylor Deep River by Burleigh and The Awakening by Spross The last two were the most pleasing and Miss Kerns who was petite and of charming personality graciously repeated the Spross number after which she was presented with a huge armful of American Beauty roses almost as large as herself!

A little later in the evening Miss Kerns and Mr Wheeler sang one of the most beautiful of the duets from Madam Butterfly by Puccini calling forth rounds of applause

In the second half of the program the club sang with spirit and often with excellent interpretation always with clean enunciation and clear attacks The soloist's Hunting Song The Pilot by Carl Pique De Sandman by Luthero and Battle Prayer by Mohring One of the very best numbers of the program was De Sandman which the club repeated in answer to the continued applause Surely the club made an excellent musical showing under the conducting of Mr Dodge

Mr Wheeler's group of songs in the second half of the program included Art by Fox One Year by Burleigh A Slumber Song by Hartman and To Messenger by La Forge Every number was encored to the full both because of the sympathetic and pleasing quality of Mr Wheeler's voice and the excellence of his vocalization but especial mention should be made (as Mr Wheeler himself did) of the song by Burleigh the colored composer whose works are receiving such just appreciation and commendation from our greatest singers The song One Year (1914 18) was a tragic yet vivid portrayal of human emotion by one until the end of a year of experience in the trenches It was a wonderful song wonderfully well sung

Two more duet sung by Miss Kerns and Mr Wheeler Passage Bird Farewell by Hiller and Ah It Was a Lover and His Lass by Waldteufel especially graceful delighted the hearers

In her first solo an operatic number Depuis le jour by Carpentier Miss Kerns displayed marked ability as an operatic singer of much dramatic as well as vocal ability

The program closed with the singing by all present Mendelssohn Club soloists and entire audience of America The fifteenth complimentary concert of the Mendelssohn Club will long be happily remembered by the very large audience which nearly filled the great High school auditorium The following are the members of the Mendelssohn Club

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Women With Mustaches

The Ainus aboriginal race of Japan live in the island of Yeddo although the race has become so reduced that there are now not more than 16000 or 17000 of them left in the country The most noticeable peculiarity about Ainu women is that they have tattooed upon their upper and lower lips what resembles a mustache The women are not considered attractive and their matrimonial prospects are quite injured without this decoration The mustache is begun when the girl is quite a child It is done gradually a little each year until it extends partly across the cheek the material used being the soot from burning birch bark The face is cut and the black rubbed in Afterward it is washed in a solution of ash bark liquor to fix the color

Shortstops and Errors

You can't be a good shortstop unless you make errors says C H Claudy in the Woman's Home Companion

Think a minute and you will understand this apparently surprising statement Many an error in the error column saves a score in the score column Thus the ball you try for may be just too fast for you to catch Yet you may get enough hands on it to knock it down The runner is safe But if you hadn't knocked it down he might be safe on second Of course not all such knockdowns will be scored as errors The point is you can't afford to give any thought to whether you are going to make an error or no."

She May Yet.

A woman whose hands are occupied in housework becomes such an adept in holding things in her mouth it is a wonder she never tried to hold the baby that way

Aid for Surgeons.

Apparatus that enables one surgeon to perform the operation of blood transfusion without assistance has been invented by a New York doctor

USING SPITBALL AGAIN

Spitball Reformers Fail In Attempts to Cut Out Spitter.

Jimmy Callahan of Pirates Declares It Would Be Unfair to Legislate Against Moist Delivery at This Late Date.

The spitball will be hurled at the batters again this season by pitchers all over the country

It will continue on its moist and foggy way despite the efforts of some baseball reformers to legislate it out of the pastime for the spitter has become just as much a part of the pitchers art as the curve

During the hot stove season which came to a close with the departure for the South the spitter came in for its annual panning Baseball men in various parts of the country talked against it Chief among the pasters was Percy D Haughton of the Boston Braves who believes the elimination of the spitter would be a long step toward increasing hitting

Haughton put the spitter on the pan every time he got a chance and is honest in his convictions against it But the members of the rules committee did not even discuss the spitter in a casual way The rules committee found practically nothing to do for the rules as they stand today are just about as solid as they can be made

In discussing the spitball at one of the National league sessions last winter Jimmy Callahan of the Pirates advanced the opinion that it would be unfair to legislate against it now Callahan believes that the moist delivery has been in vogue too long He pointed out that it has been in use at least ten years and that if it had been prejudicial or undesirable it should have been eliminated then But it was not Then it was quite a while after it was made illegal before there was any great hardship worked on the pitchers

Percy D Haughton

With the spitter it is different Hundreds of younger pitchers who are coming up have adopted the spitter for use in the right places It is used by at least 40 per cent of the pitchers of the country today and it has become an institution So the spitter will live for some time to come and may never be barred

The fact that many baseball men do not champion the moist ball will make no difference and as Jimmy Callahan declares it would be unjustice because its use has been permitted for too many years

BASEBALL IN SOUTH AMERICA

Many Promising Players Found Among Expert Workmen Secured for Cultivation of Sugar

The European war may be responsible for introducing baseball into South America The centuries of South America whose soil is adapted to the cultivation of sugar are sending to Cuba for expert workmen In that branch of industry and as a result baseball promises to be as well known in Latin America as it is in the West Indies The Cubans have taken to the game like a duck to water and there are numberless teams scattered all over the island It is not improbable that in the future the championship of baseball will not be settled until the north and southern hemispheres have battled on the diamond

The South Americans are a sport loving people and once the fascinating game of baseball fastens itself on them there should be a wave of enthusiasm all over that continent As soon as the South Americans understand the sport the turnstiles at the bull fights will not be very busy

TRYING OUT 'SWEATING ROBE'

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Manager Robinson of the Dodgers is trying out a new electric "sweating robe" for reducing weight

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TALE OF THE TURTLE.

Where This Stupid Animal Poses as a Student of Astronomy

For an animal that is rated so low on the scale of intelligence as the turtle it is really amazing to note the keen sense of intuition they display

There is a tradition among the natives of Venezuela that turtles will not begin to lay their eggs until the Southern Cross which is the characteristic object of the firmament in the southern hemisphere is completely formed—that is not until the four stars which form the cross have moved on through the heavens and have reached a position perpendicular to the horizon

It is even reported by a member of one exploring expedition in Venezuela that at midnight when the turtles were being watched in the natural act the great mass of creatures went back into the waters without laying a single egg but if even one remained behind to act as sentinels

At half past 4 in the morning at the moment when the Southern Cross seemed exactly perpendicular to the horizon a great motion was perceived on the shore of the river and the turtles came out in battalions They scattered rapidly in all directions dug holes in the sand deposited their eggs and then covered up the places like great pains to leave the surface smooth and flat as they had found it Argosy

I "MESSAGE TO GERMANS" ©INTERNATIONAL

HOW PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE WAS SENT OVER GERMAN LINES.

In order that the German soldiers might be correctly informed regarding the entry of the United States into the world war and its reasons for so doing the French had President Wilson's great message to congress translated into German and distributed over the German lines in France This photograph shows the printed speeches being tied to a balloon

Pure Reason

In his essay "Eternal Peace" published in 1795 Immanuel Kant declares that we can never have universal peace until the world is politically organized and it will never be possible for the word politically until the people the kings, the rulers and the peoples of the earth realize and attain the spirit of hospitality and good will toward all men and nations—Independent.

Topaz and Chrysolite

The topaz of the ancient Greeks and Romans is generally said to be chrysolite as we know it while their chrysolite is our topaz Chrysolite is a species of magnesium and iron

Which Was Which?

Jimmy's mother had told him to stay near the window and watch for the bride and groom and come and tell her when he saw them coming After waiting for some time his patience was rewarded, but he forgot to run and tell his mother When they were quite near he suddenly remembered and cried out in his excitement "Mamma here comes the bride and the groom."—Christian Herald

Yellow.

The United States produces one-fifth of the world's gold Except in the Transvaal, this country far outranks all other countries in turning out the yellow metal—New York Telegram.

Saved Himself

As to the most embarrassing moment in his life E R Treat related it to the club in this way

I had taken Gladys Harcourt to a swell cafe after the opera and as we were both hungry I ordered with a stiff while the score mounted up When the check fell beside my plate I was astounded on discovering that I had lost my purse doubtless at the hands of a pickpocket. The assiduous and expectant waiter stood by I was a stranger in this city and of course knew no one in the restaurant. Already the waiter was beckoning to some one perhaps an officer I was sure to be arrested Gladys unaware of my dilemma was planning an early supper A great load upon my heart I was saved from the ignominy when I awoke —Onward Tribune.

Sure Cure.

A nervous man at the opera sat behind a pair of those who could not play the piano until he endurance was exhausted Then he leaned forward and said

"Excuse me will you speak a little louder? Sometimes the music prevents me hearing what you say."—Chicago Herald

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TO LET.—Two furnished rooms, for light housekeeping. 156 St. James St.

One Cent Per Word

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—New and second hand stoves and ranges and second hand furniture bought, sold and exchanged. All kinds of stove repairs furnished. Complete line of new stoves. Morris Kaplan, 68 North Front St., Kingston. 'Phone 1210-R.

GOOD Luck Butterine. Johnson's, 112 W. Pierpont St. 'Phone 1029.

FOR SALE.—Furniture, piano, linoleum, refrigerator, dresser, white iron bed. 728 Broadway.

FOR SALE.—Twelve room, two-family house, excellent condition, all improvements, centrally located; near both car lines; $3,500. Some bargains in building lots. 'Phone 1600-J.

OLD established grocery business for sale. Best locality in city; retiring from business. Address Box 701, City.

FOR SALE.—Horse. E. Winter's Sons Kingston.

FOR SALE.—One 40 horsepower tubular boiler, tested to carry 100 pounds steam pressure. Inquire at 112 North Front St., Kingston, N. Y.

FOR SALE.—Second hand steam and hot water boilers. Wieber & Walter. 122 Wurts St. 'Phone 512.

FOR SALE.—Fruit and poultry farm of about 11 acres, within city limits. Geo. W. Van Gaasbeck, 311 Clifton Ave.

FOR SALE.—40 young Pennsylvania horses and some good acclimated horses constantly on hand. 92 Abeel St., Abe Vogel.

FOR SALE.—New Harley-Davidson motorcycle; electric lights; 3 speed transmission; cheap. Stryker-Youmans Co.

FOR SALE.—$25 cash will buy a new $48 drop head Singer sewing machine. Address "R." Uptown Freeman.

FOR SALE.—2 two-story houses, at Eddyville, in good condition, near creek, at bargain price. Address "Z." Uptown Freeman.

FOR SALE.—Sterling piano upright reduced $100. At W. H. Rider's music store, 304 Wall St.

FOR SALE.—Upright piano, mahogany case, sweet tone, $125. A. E. Thomas, 22 Crown St., 'Phone 1706-J.

FOR SALE.—Two gold leaf picture frames costing $150, will be sold at a reasonable price. 'Phone 1099 J.

FOR SALE.—New Ford touring car, cheap. Chas. F. Gray, 783 Broadway.

FOR SALE.—White Leghorn baby chicks from heavy laying strain; also custom hatching. Homeland Farm, Rosendale, N. Y.

FOR SALE.—12 room house, in the village of Rosendale. Inquire of Mrs. J. L. Snyder, Stone Ridge.

FOR SALE.—Fresh cow. H. B. Storr, Ulster Park.

FOR SALE.—I have for sale or exchange car load of good second hand horses suitable for all purposes. Mr. L. Basch, Chambers St.

FOR SALE.—My homestead and seven acres, on Kingston-Ellenville state road, near O. & W. station. T. D. Hooghtaling, Hurley, Ulster County, N. Y.

FOR SALE.—Twin go cart; in first class condition. Address "J." c/o Freeman.

FOR SALE.—Good farm horse. 145 Hasbrouck Ave.

FOR SALE.—1910 Ford touring car. Tan's Garage, 709 Broadway.

FOR SALE.—High grade baby chicks. 'Phone 1017-J.

FOR SALE.—5 and 7 passenger Cadillac, 1 Reo, 1916 7 passenger, all overhauled and repainted; first class condition. Ulster Garage.

FOR SALE.—25 head good work and general purpose horses. These horses have been working in Brooklyn and were shipped to L. Basch to sell. Anybody wishing a good work horse, come and see Sam Shapiro, c/o L. Basch, Chambers St.

FOR SALE.—Willys-Knight. We still have in stock one of the latest model 84-B Willys Knight 5 passenger cars; price $1,165 here; for quick sale will sacrifice for $1,075. A. H. Todd & Son, Fleischmanns, N. Y.

FOR SALE.—Thoroughbred English collie (male); cheap. Inquire Fisher, Boulevard, Box 10. 'Phone 672-R.

FOR SALE.—Complete outfit for making concrete building blocks. Wm. Lawton, 82 Prince St.

FOR SALE.—Touring car, A-1 condition, for Ford runabout. 'Phone 793-W.

FOR SALE.—Ford chassis $125 also Paige-Detroit, Cadillac, Everett and several other 5 passenger autos. Economy Auto Exchange, 221 Downs St.

FOR SALE.—240 egg Cypher incubator, a five double compartment outdoor Cypher brooders; all in perfect working order. 'Phone 99-F-12.

FOR SALE.—Second hand radiators, lamps and wind shields. Guarantee Radiator Works, 7 Main St.

FOR SALE.—1 buggy and 1 two-seated wagon; good condition. Box 36, Route 4, Saugerties.

FOR SALE.—Plenty of new and second hand bicycles, at 118 North Front St. If interested call and look them over before purchasing elsewhere.

FOR SALE.—Packard touring car. 'Phone 104.

FOR SALE.—Salt hay. Edw. T. McGill, 537 Broadway.

FOR SALE.—Mosler safe, at a bargain. Inquire Brown Auto Supply Co., 244 Clinton Ave.

FOR SALE.—Photo supplies, films, plates, cameras, printing paper, etc. O'Reilly's 530 Broadway.

FOR SALE.—Business calling me from city, will sell my 7 room house, heat, gas, electricity, stationary tubs, hot and cold water, toilet, bath; house chestnut trim and hard wood floors throughout; large lot and garden; all kinds young bearing fruit; price $4,300; property cannot be duplicated for $5,000, and on one of the finest residential streets, above West Shore depot; mortgage if preferred. Address "B. E. W." Uptown Freeman.

IMPORTANT Antique Sale.—I will sell at Millbrook, N. Y., opposite public library, on Saturday, May 19, at 2 p. m., a collection of antiques. Serpentine front hepplewhite sideboard, colonial sideboard, mahogany tables, tip tables, bureaus, highboy, mirrors; about fifty chairs, china, glass, bed covers; India shawls and many other things. Sissons Brothers, auctioneers; terms cash. T. R. Hazzard.

FOR SALE.—1914 Franklin touring car; also Overland roadster; 1914 model, electric lights and starter; thoroughly overhauled and is in A-1 condition; has all new tires; price $275 cash. A. Vogt's Fireproof Garage, Saugerties, N. Y.

FOR SALE.—Hatching eggs, from heavy laying strain Rhode Island Reds, $1 per 15. Whiston, Lindermau Ave. 'Phone 1032-M.

ADVERTISEMENT WRITING.

UNWISE advertising economy is an acquired habit with many merchants, like olives and moving pictures, but when the habit is continued—curtains! They seem to believe that each time they blackjack a dollar and lay it away on ice, withdrawing it from their advertising expenditures, they have done wisely. Really, such business men are short-changing themselves. Well written advertisements are business getters. The other kind won't do at all. Let me write you ads. with "pep and punch." George M. Zellmer, care of Kingston Freeman.

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LOST.

LOST.—Chauffeur's badge No. 107,146. Leave at Stryker-Youmans Garage.

LOST.—Brown pillow muff, about 4 weeks ago. Finder leave at Uptown Freeman. Reward.

LOST.—Baby bracelet, between O'Neil and O'Reilly Sts. Finder leave at Noel's, 495 Broadway.

LOST.—Emerald rosary, without cross. Return to O'Reilly's News Store. Reward.

LOST.—May 10, between Stuyvesant Hotel and West Shore station, a pair eyeglasses. Reward for return. Gregory & Co.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED.—Competent girl for general housework; two in family. Call 871.

WANTED.—Girl for general housework. Call evenings between 7 and 9. 296 Fair St.

WANTED.—Girl, as chambermaid and laundress; good wages. 'Phone 192.

WANTED.—Three girls to finish souvenirs, easy work, no experience required; also one girl to letter, must be a good writer. Wages $4.00 week, board and car fares. Address stating age and full particulars. Bennett's Souvenir Shop, Hensonville, N. Y.

WANTED.—Girl or middle-aged lady, for general housework; small family. Call 733-J.

WANTED.—Experienced strippers. Fitzpatrick & Draper, corner Mill St. and Hasbrouck Ave.

WANTED, EXPERIENCED OPERATORS ALSO BEGINNERS WHO WILL BE PAID WELL WHILE LEARNING. FULLER'S SHIRT FACTORY, PINE GROVE AVE.

WANTED.—Competent woman for general housework. S. D. Hillebrant, President's Place.

WANTED.—A woman to work in pantry. Apple Eagle Hotel.

WANTED.—Girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. Call 'phone 881 M.

WANTED.—Experienced sleevers on new machines and experienced cuff girl; 11 to 12½ cents per dozen; cuffs all matched and trimmed and sleeves trimmed also; and experienced examiner, steady work guaranteed. S. Tomasian, 42 Thomas St.

WANTED.—Middle-aged woman, to help with housework and care for two children in exchange for board and clothing. 'Phone 1061-M.

WANTED.—Chambermaid and waitress. Apply Dr. C. O. Sahler Sanitarium.

WANTED.—Pressers on soft shirts. F. Jacobson & Sons, cor. Smith Ave. and Cornell St.

WANTED.—Operators on Union Special sleeve machine; well paid while learning. Millen, Aikenhead & Co., Greenkill Ave.

WANTED.—Girls to operate machines on all parts of shirts; steady work; good pay. Learners taken. Apply Columbia Shirt Co., O'Neil St.

POSITIONS are open for girls to operate power sewing machines on shirts; experience not necessary; good wages paid while learning; we have the most modern and up to date factory in Kingston. F. Jacobson & Sons, Smith and Cornell Sts., Kingston.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HIGHEST price paid for misfit and second hand clothes. 'Phone 1445-M.

FORD car to hire; $1.50 an hour. 'Phone 7 F-3.

PIANOS tuned and repaired, terms reasonable. Marthis, 156 Prospect St. 'Phone 184-W.

LAWN mowers properly ground and repaired at 118 N. Front St.

MORAN BUSINESS SCHOOL, Fair and Main Sts. Commercial, Stenographic, English. Day and Night. Experienced Instructors. Graduates in Demand. ENTER NOW.

WE guarantee our developing and printing work. Bring in your films, plates and printing. Prompt one day service. O'Reilly's 530 Broadway.

FURNITURE storage. House-proof, sanitary, fire-proof. Frederick C. Winters, Kingston. 'Phone 1113-J, or Brown Auto Supply Co. 'Phone 1065.

FURNITURE storage; best in city. Harry P. Carr. 'Phone 1173-J, 5-F3.

FRANKLIN car to hire, $2 per hour. Goodrich Garage, 112 Hone St. 'Phone 1265-M.

WANTED.

WANTED.—EXPERIENCED ROLLERS AND BUNCHMAKERS AND GIRLS AND BOYS TO LEARN CIGAR MAKING. $4.00 PER WEEK PAID WHILE LEARNING. LAST YEAR OUR EMPLOYES SAVED OVER $14,000. G. W. VAN SLYKE & HORTON.

WANTED.—A congenial middle-aged person, to share in a pleasant, well located home. Mary V.—, Uptown Freeman.

WANTED.—Second hand show case, good condition; send description and price. "L." Uptown Freeman.

WANTED.—Your developing and printing. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prompt one day service. Full line of photo supplies. O'Reilly's, 530 Broadway.

WANTED.—Teams, for state road work; wages $7.50 per day and wagons furnished by contractors. Inquire DeGraff & Hogeboom, Inc., 168 Washington Ave., or Prattsville, N. Y.

WANTED.—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $15.00 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. Mazer, 2007 S. Fifth St., Philadelphia, Pa.

BOARD WANTED.—Refined young lady wishes board with private family; reasonable. "Board," Uptown Freeman.

WANTED.—Painting and paper hanging. Will do good work at reasonable prices; use best material. Bregman Bros., 7 Ulster St. 'Phone 1927-R.

WANTED.—To buy, second hand radiators, lamps and wind shields. Guarantee Radiator Works, 7 Main St.

WANTED.—To buy, second hand clothes. 'Phone 1060-W.

WANTED.—Help. Ulster Employment Agency, 236 Clinton Ave. 'Phone 1324-R.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED.—Farm hands; married and single. Dutchess Employment Office, 11 Washington St., Poughkeepsie. 'Phone 1125.

WANTED.—Painters and paper hangers. Apply, write or telephone H. C. Avery, 543 Prospect St., Hudson, N. Y. 'Phone 677.

WANTED.—30 laborers. Apply superintendent Nitro Powder Co., Mingo Hollow.

WANTED.—4 good carpenters. Apply 57 Foxhall Ave.

WANTED.—Plumbers, steamfitters and helpers. Apply L. F. Bassoa Co., 16-18 Hasbrouck Ave.

WANTED.—Errand boy. Apply at shop, 102 Albany Ave.

WANTED.—MEN, IMMEDIATELY. APPLY AT STONE CRUSHER, ON WILBUR AVE.

WANTED.—Men at tub factory. Kingston Granite Tub Works.

STATE COMMISSION FOR ROOSEVELT

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, May 16.—Theodore Roosevelt announced today after his conference with Governor Whitman that in the event of the federal army bill passing without provison for his going to Europe with an expeditionary force, he would accept a commission as major-general in the state service.

"Governor Whitman has offered me the commission of major general," said Col. Roosevelt, "if the volunteer plan for sending troops abroad is not accepted in Washington. The commission would authorize me to raise one or more divisions in New York state but the members would not necessarily come from this state.

"I doubt if the citizens really know how much has been done in New York for preparedness. This great achievement under Governor Whitman is a notable thing and it should be a matter of pride in New York that so much has been done so quickly.

"I would have no difficulty in keeping down to one division," he added, referring to his work in recruiting.

AMERICAN FLEET REACHES EUROPE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—An American fleet has arrived safely in European waters, it was learned here officially late this afternoon.

ODDS AND ENDS.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church will hold a quilting party and social at the church tomorrow evening.

The ladies of Rondout will meet in the chapel of the Rondout Presbyterian Church on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 to sew for the Red Cross.

The Thursday Club that played cards all winter has reorganized and now meets at the D. A. R. chapter house on Thursday afternoons to sew for the Red Cross.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Clinton Avenue Church will have an all day quilting on Thursday, May 17, in the church parlors. Those coming in the morning bring their lunch. Refreshments will be served in the afternoon.

At the Albany Avenue Baptist Church this evening the missionary pageant, "The King's Highway," will be presented for the benefit of the Missionary Fund. The pageant was given some time ago with great success and its presentation again was made in response to many requests. No admission will be charged but a silver offering will be taken.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Wesley B. Hotaling of Prospect street is seriously ill. He is being attended by Dr. Norwood.

Mrs. Jared Smith has returned to her home in New Paltz after spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. James A. Murphy, of Pittsfield, Mass.

Louis Schmidtkonz, a student at the Lutheran Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. A. Schmidtkonz.

Edna B. DeGraff of Cedar street was taken Monday to the Wanna Sanitarium for an operation on her throat. Her many friends hope for speedy recovery.

Simon Lyons of the Eagle Hotel underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Kingston City Hospital Tuesday afternoon. The operation was performed by Dr. E. E. Norwood. Mr. Lyons was resting comfortably today.

Mrs. Orren W. Smith of New York city, formerly of Kingston, who has been dangerously ill for the past five months at Bellevue Hospital, has been brought to the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. David Williams, 62 Cedar street, where she is slowly recovering.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

George W. Loud, a well known citizen of Catskill, died at his home there Monday night, aged 74 years. He had operated a number of hotels in Greene county and at one time was in charge of the dining room service on the Catskill Evening Line.

Rev. Orren C. Lane, one of the best known Methodist preachers on Long Island and a member of the New York East conference since 1873 died at his home in Riverhead on Thursday, in his 74th year. Mr. Lane was born in Lanesville, Greene county.

GARDNER GOING TO FRONT.

Congressman Resigns to Take Up Arms Against Germany.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 16.—Representative A. P. Gardner of Massachusetts, pioneer champion of military preparedness and early advocate of the cause of the Allies, has resigned his seat in congress to go to the front against Germany.

Gardner's resignation through Governor McCall of Massachusetts was announced in a letter from Gardner to Speaker Clark which was read in the house today. Gardner is a reserve officer in the United States army.

WHEAT PRICES FALL GREATLY

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Chicago, May 16.—Wheat prices fell off abruptly at the opening of the board of trade today. September was fifteen cents and July nineteen cents under yesterday's closing prices.

Wheat closed 6 to 10 cents lower; corn was ½ to 2 cents lower, and oats ⅜ to ¾ cents lower.

Closing Prices.

Wheat—July, 230; Sept., 207.
Corn—July, 152⅛ @ 152¼; Sept., 144½ to 144¼.
Oats—July, 65½; Sept., 56⅛ to 56.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, May 16.—The chief feature of the first hour was the ease with which all groups of traders were able to force advances in many issues without any special development in the way of news. Steel Common, in which there was persistent buying around 117 rose to 118 and Crucible advanced from 65⅞ to 67¾. St. Paul made a gain of 1½ to 72 and Colorado Fuel was unusually active and strong, advancing 1¾ to 49¾. American Beet Sugar was weak and declined over 3 points to 88¾. The copper stocks were quiet and in supply at slight concessions.

The announcement of the action of the government in extending a loan to Russia of $100,000,000 caused urgent demand for stocks in the afternoon, both on the stock exchange and on the curb. Steel Common rose to 119¾, a gain of nearly 3 points for the day and Bethlehem Steel B advanced 4 points to 126¾. General Electric showed an upturn of 3 points to 156. The Russian 6½ on the curb sold up from 80 to 90.

Quotations furnished by John D. Kline, Warren Building, Fair street, Kingston, N. Y., Tel. 1423. Correspondent of C. H. Van Buren & Company, members of Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS

Allis-Chalmers	28½
American Beet Sugar	90¼
American Car & Foundry	62⅛
American Can	44¾
American Cotton Oil	
American Locomotive	68⅝
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	100⅝
American Sugar	116¼
Anaconda Copper Mining	78⅝
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe	100
Baldwin Loco	57⅜
Baltimore & Ohio	67⅝
Bethlehem Steel Co.	127⅛
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	68⅜
Canadian Pacific	160
Central Leather	86¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	57
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	72⅝
Colorado Fuel & Iron	50⅛
Corn Products	19½
Crucible Steel	7⅞
Distillers' Securities	16
Erie	28¾
Erie, 1st pfd	35⅜
Goodrich Rubber	51
Great Northern, pfd	104⅞
Great Northern Ore	31⅛
Interborough Con.	
Inter. Con., pfd	53¼
Kansas City Southern	19
Lehigh Valley	61
Maxwell Motor	50⅞
Maxwell Motor, 1st pfd	
Maxwell Motor, 2d pfd	31½
Mexican Petroleum	90¼
National Lead	54¾
New York Central	88
N. Y., N. H. & H.	39½
New York, Ontario & Western	21⅞
Norfolk & Western	120¼
Northern Pacific	100⅞
Pennsylvania Railroad	52
People's Gas, Chicago	78¾
Pittsburgh Coal	45⅜
Pressed Steel Car	73
Railway Steel Sp'g	48½
Reading	87½
Rep. Iron & Steel	83⅛
Southern Pacific	91⅛
Southern Railway	25
Southern Railway, pfd	54¼
Studebaker	89⅝
Union Pacific	134½
U. S. Steel	12⅞
U. S. Steel, pfd	117⅞
U. S. Rubber	55
Utah Copper	113½
Virginia Car. Chem.	42⅞
Westinghouse Electric	49½

No Place for Her.

The little miscreant in the chair sat with chubby hands folded and blue eyes, big and solemn, listening to the recounting of the day's wrongdoings. As mother paused and father gazed reproachfully at the tiny culprit a baby sigh was heaved and two large tears appeared as the little tot ventured: "I dess I had better stayed in babyland."

He Just Hated Them.

Ben had just been presented with his first pair of suspenders. He immediately put them on over his blouse and waited for his folks to notice his new property. Some time passed, however, and they failed to do so. Finally Ben could contain himself no longer and, taking care that all should hear, said, "Gee, I just hate my new suspenders!"

Sleeping on Puffs.

The Japanese do not sleep on European beds, but on many thick, soft puffs piled one on top of each other upon the floor. For bed covering they use more of the same kinds of puffs. It is said that the Japanese emperor has twenty such puffs. One of these which cover him is made in the shape of a kimono and has a velvet collar. Probably he creeps inside of this if he feels cold in the night.

OPPOSE CLOSING OF WEST HURLEY ROAD

Merchants Want Traffic Kept Open On Only Highway to Ashokan Reservoir—Clause in Contract Permits Closing.

Several merchants and business men of Kingston met at the office of Senator Walton Tuesday afternoon to protest against the closing of the West Hurley road this spring during the work of repairing the road. The delegation claims that if the road is closed to traffic while the work is going on the city will lose a large amount of business. The contract for the construction work has been let to Samuel Beskin, the state road contractor of Beacon, and as is usual contains a clause which allows the contractor to close the road if necessary while the work is being done.

If the road is closed to traffic the merchants claim that traffic would be diverted through Saugerties and other points and the city would lose a large amount of business as the West Hurley road is one of the main thoroughfares leading into the city.

The delegation asked Senator Walton to use what influence he could toward keeping the road open while the work was going on. Whether the contractor will be hindered by the using of the road while the repair work is being done or not will probably be determined when a representative of the state highway department visits Kingston. Opinions differ as to whether it would be advisable to close the road and use the detour through Woodstock or have the contractor's work interferred with by traffic. By going out to Stone Ridge and over a very bad road through Atwood it is possible to again come into the Ashokan boulevard near the Brown's Station dam.

The purpose of the meeting on Tuesday was to have the contractor provide some means of using the West Hurley road while the work was being done and not close up the road entirely. A substitute road around the actual construction would relieve matters and not shut off traffic entirely from the Ashokan district.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

The Kingston Motor Car Exchange of 45 Janet street, Kingston, has sold a five passenger touring car to L. E. Herbert and George F. Freer has sold a touring car to Gordan H. Richards through the exchange.

$6,000 Position For Coffey.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, May 16.—Assemblyman William S. Coffey, of Mount Vernon, Westchester county, who has served for six years in the assembly, today resigned to become secretary of the state industrial commission at a salary of $6,000. His office will be in New York city. Mr. Coffey succeeds Henry E. Sayer, who was made a member of the commission.

Assemblyman Coffey is a son-in-law of Wallace H. Becker of this city.

The Egg and the Shell.

Eggshells are made chiefly of carbonate of lime, and the yolk is half water, half oil and albumen, while the white of an egg, as it is called, consists of water chiefly with albumen and a little phosphorus and sulphur. The yolk always floats at the top of the white, so to be as near as possible to the hen when she sits upon it to hatch it, while two cords attached to the yolk, one at each end, prevent it from actually touching the shell.

The Allegory.

A fine illustration of the allegory may be seen in Paul's epistle to the Galatians iv, 14, where the apostle gives an allegorical interpretation to the historical narration of Hagar and Sarah, drawing from it a deeper sense than is conveyed by the immediate representation.

Transferred.

"I hope you liked the pie, Henry," ventured a young wife, casting an anxious glance at her husband soon after dinner. "I bestowed great pains on the crust."

"I thought you did, my dear," he said, "for I've got the pains now."

Matched.

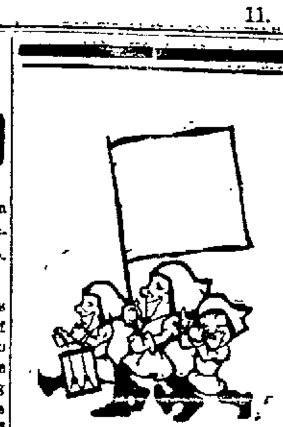
Towne—Met Gabble and Perkins at a smoker last night and introduced them to each other. Browne—Oh, say, it's a shame to introduce a bore like Gabble to anybody. Towne—It's evident you don't know Perkins or you'd see the humor of it.

Patriotic.

Warden—Have you ever been in any European jail? Prisoner—No! My motto has been to see America first.—Star of Hope.

Slow Game.

Madge—Was George fooling while you were playing golf? Marjorie—Gracious, I hope not! Why, I accepted him.



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Prepare

The Time Set for the Opportunity for you to save money on your furnishings is here

The Whole Story Will Be Out Tomorrow

EVENTS THIS EVENING.

Dancing in Mechanics' Hall, Henry street.

"The Foolish Virgin," photoplay, at Kingston Opera House.

"The Happiness of Three Women," photoplay, at Y. M. C. A. Auditorium.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges will hold meetings this evening.

Washington Camp, No. 3, P. O. S. A., in Mechanics' Hall, Henry street.

Mount Horeb Chapter, No. 75, R. A. M., in Masonic Hall, Wall street.

Kosciusko Lodge, No. 36, I. O. O. F., at 635 Broadway.

Aretas Lodge, No. 172, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows Hall, 36 East Strand.

Tappen Camp, No. 1, S. of V., in the armory.

The choir of the Daughters of Isabella will have a rehearsal at Pythian Hall Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend as the new books are here and those who have not secured the material for robes should do so at this meeting. Mrs. Leary wishes a large attendance.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

The goods in Turck's grocery store on Cedar street will be sold at public auction Saturday, May 19th, at 10 a. m.

Enlist With Co. M Before You Are Drafted

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF New York, by the Grace of God, Free and Independent.—To Harry Snyder, if living, residence unknown, and to his heirs at law, next of kin, legatees and devisees, if he be dead and whose names and places of residence are unknown and cannot after due diligence be ascertained; Frank Deyo, if living, residence unknown, and to his heirs at law, next of kin, legatees and devisees if he be dead and whose names and places of residence are unknown and cannot after due diligence be ascertained; Catherine Deyo, Kingston, New York.

You and each of you are hereby cited to show cause, at a surrogate's court to be held in and for the county of Ulster at the surrogate's office in the city of Kingston, in said county, on the 19th day of June, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why the last Will and Testament of Leslie H. B. Deyo, late of the city of Kingston, Ulster county, deceased, presented to said surrogate's court should not be admitted to probate and recorded as a Will of real and personal estate in pursuance of the statute, on the petition of Virgil B. Van Wagonen of the city of Kingston, the executor named therein.

(L.S.) In Testimony Whereof, we have caused the seal of said surrogate's court to be hereunto affixed. Witness Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of our said county, at the city of Kingston, the 15th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

WALTER N. GILL,
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

A NEW VICTOR RECORD OF "The Star Spangled Banner"

By JOHN MC CORMACK

E. WINTER'S SONS

John St. Open Evenings

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16 1917.

Sun rises 4 41 sets 7 11
Weather cloudy

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman thermometer last night was 41 degrees The highest point reached up until noon today was degrees

Weather Forecast

Washington May 16—Partly cloudy and warmer tonight and Thursday moderate variable winds

Sleeplessness

When you are sleepless for no other apparent reason than that you just cannot get to sleep try the following remedy Take seven to ten cloves Place them in a cup Pour on a cupful of boiling water Let steep for ten minutes Add a dash of nutmeg Sweeten with wild honey Drink hot to go long to bed It works in nine cases out of ten in all those instances in which sleeplessness does not arise from some deep seated disorder

BUSINESS NOTICES

$1 00 shirts $1 00 shirts Factory seconds McLaine 48 Fred way

Have you tried that new 5c Havana cigar called La Sultana? R J DULIN Distributor 566 Broadway

New records every week Edison Amberol records from 10c to $1 00 See the new cabinet phonographs at $15 $1 00 per week payments CALCORY & CO

Wilmo Bus Line Daily Kingston Stockyards Leaves Fullers Corners Leaves Central post office 9 a m 4 p m 1 p m Opera House Block Stockyards 8 30 a m 11 a m 4 p m

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When feeding the School in Refreshments with the comfort and cheer of a log fire swift you in the Pumpkin Room at Watson Hollow Inn

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ELLENVILLE

Ellenville, May 16—The 28th anniversary of the Epworth League was celebrated by the local league members at the M E Church Sunday evening The members occupied the front seats in a body each member wore the Epworth League badge—red and white are the colors The league is said to be the largest denominational young peoples society in the world Like the Christian Endeavor Society the Epworth League no matter what the number of its years is ever young The pastor Rev J E Appleby delivered a very excellent sermon appropriate for the occasion Miss Carolyn Clark contributed a very beautiful soprano solo entitled Sweetest of the Day by Bly There was very spirited singing of well known hymns by the choir and the large congregation present At the close of the service H W Coons announced that it was the intention of the official board of the church who were to tender a reception to the pastor and family Thursday evening All members of the church congregation and friends were invited to attend The reception will be held in the church parlors at 8 o clock

At the Reformed Church Sunday evening the pastor Rev Walter S Mumes delivered a very able sermon to a large congregation The subject of the address was How Women Can Help Win the War A tribute to the Red Cross The congregation joined heartily with the choir in the singing of four appropriate hymns with a special offertory anthem by the choir

The laying of the corner stone of the College and John R Hunt memorial building will take place on the afternoon of Wednesday May 23 at 2 o clock It is to be strongly observed with appropriate exercises under the direction of the building committee Mrs A M Andrews Mrs DeWitt Mrs Stratton and Mrs Potter The program will be announced later

The ladies of the Foreign Missionary Society of the M E Church will hold their May meeting at the home of Mrs F L Count on Pearl street Thursday afternoon The leader is Mrs C L Andrew and the topic Japan Election of officers for ensuing year will take place at this meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Reformed Church will be held at the home of Mrs John K Lathrop on Warren street Thursday afternoon The subject Colonial People of the United States

The music for Children's Day at the Reformed Church is here and the first rehearsal will be held Thursday evening at 7 o clock in the lecture room All officers teachers and members of the school are requested to be present

Mrs Robert Leslie Moffett of New York has arrived in Ellenville and is making her fine summer residence Knoll Acres ready for occupancy

Dr J Sidney Lindhout of Stevensville Sullivan county is spending some days in Ellenville

Mr and Mrs R C Eaton Mrs Ruth Eaton Miss Mildred Eaton and George L Hornbeck were in Kingston Monday for the funeral of Mrs Emil C Hornbeck

Mr and Mrs Joseph Hartt spent the week end at Claryville Sullivan county where they captured a fine catch of the speckled beauties

Mr Lester P Burr entertained the members of the Sewing Circle at her home on Market street Thursday afternoon

It is expected that Rev H C Carl will occupy the pulpit of the Lutheran Church on Sunday next as a candidate as pastor of this church

George Ackley the efficient and accommodating clerk at the Broom Leaf grocery for the past two years has tendered his resignation and will take a position with the local Adams Express Company George will be missed from the store

The twenty fifth annual convention of the Ulster County Christian Endeavor Union is to be held at Wallkill May 21 22 The Ellenville Union is to be represented

A large number of the local high school boys are now employed at Yager Farms Napanoch going over mornings and back at night taking all them can now and during the summer vacation for the boys to be employed

NEW HURLEY

New Hurley May 16—The Rev Father Schultes preached at St Andrews Mass Sunday evening

Miss Borchelina of Cardinal and Miss Dora Knapp of Wallkill were week end guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Emil Schoonmaker

Mr and Mrs Ed Jenkins and Mr and Mrs Clinton Jenkins of Clintondale spent last Thursday in this place

The Ladies Aid Society will meet on Friday afternoon May 18 at the home of Mrs William Harding at which time arrangements will be made for their social to be held in the church some time in June

A fine crowd attended the Sunday school conference held in the church on Monday afternoon and evening

On Friday evening May 11 the members of the Circle and the Shawangunk Y W C A were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Ira Merwin After a short business meeting in charge of Ira Merwin a member of both the Y and the Circle the entertainment committee consisting of the Hastings Miss Kittle and Mrs Lee Hummer took charge The subject was Mothers Day A number of readings recitations and a solo were rendered Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs Merwin and a number of games were played At a late hour all departed for their homes deciding that both societies felt better acquainted with each other and that the Merwin home was an ideal place for a good time

Tremper Back On Route

The steamer J H Tremper of the Central Hudson line is back on the Albany route again resuming trips on Tuesday It will be remembered that she wrecked her rudder several days ago when she crashed into the dock in front of the towing office on the Rondout creek and was taken to Hilbrant's yard for repairs

PORT EWEN

Port Ewen, May 16—Mrs A E Walker and son, Kenneth and Mrs Walker's mother Mrs L A Mayer, of New York city are visiting Mrs Lucy Walker on Schryver street

Mrs Emma Terpening is ill at her home on Broadway Dr G W Ross is the attending physician

Isopus Council, No 47 Sons and Daughters of Liberty will meet this evening at 8 o clock in their rooms in Hutton's Hall The entertainment will be in charge of Mrs Calvin Cutler and Mrs John Spinneweber All come and spend a pleasant evening

Planting gardens has been the theme right along but Port Ewen philanthropists have them all beat, as two gentlemen have had the side of the road plowed up and have their potatoes started ahead Can any place the size of this village put one over?

The peach orchard of John Lamphear on Broadway is a very pretty sight the buds are unfolding and remind one of a Paine flower garden

The Sunday school board of the Methodist Episcopal Church will meet at the home of George W Shultis on Broadway this evening at 8 o clock A full attendance is desired

TAPPINGTOWN

Tappingtown May 16—A week ago Thursday night ice was formed in water pails left out doors but fortunately the fruit buds were not far enough advanced to be damaged

May Day exercises were held in District No Friday May 4 The school grounds were cleared of rubbish and trees set out The school was closed early

Mr and Mrs C A Wolley John Wolley and Miss Etta Wolley motored to Newburgh not long since

L Rhodes who was working for William Kelley has begun the season working for S B Wygant

Oliver Ansen and daughter Miss Ethel have gone to New Paltz on a visit

Mr Harhagen's new barn looks fine after being painted

Mr and Mrs I S Craft were in town Saturday visiting

Mrs Reardon the teacher will not going to teach another term here as a position has been obtained in a graded school near home

At the recent school meeting William Kelley was elected trustee L A Reynolds collector S B Wygant clerk M Bassett chairman Tax to be raised $1 00

I W Wolf and Son have purchased a new tractor to do the plowing in some fields in lieu of teams It does the heavy work easily and relieves the horses

The Poughkeepsie R R Bridge Company is taking great pains to protect on the west side of the bridge a barbed wire fence being erected very high on the ground below it On the north and south sides leading up to the level ground from the top of this fence a wire netting is let down on each side to the ground The soldiers or scouts are still on guard

John Wolley has attended the Sunday evening choristic meeting held in New York

Miss Cora Mackey who has been working for some time in Poughkeepsie has returned home for the summer

C C Ruger who was to come and spend the summer on his land here has not yet put in appearance

C Hurcourt if is stated has a colored student helping him in the laborious fruit work

Mr and Mrs H V Mackey attended the French English and American celebration in Newburgh last Friday

Mr and Mrs F A Reynolds C A Wolley and others also attended

Burr M Cowen has obtained a one passenger automobile which he is learning to run

The road men are again in town working on the left over jobs

S M Bull of Newburgh informed the writer before he died that flour was sold wholesale there at $20 per barrel during the Civil War

Hail fell in this section last Saturday

General Joffre's call for an American army on the battle line is timely if it could be transported through the submarine zone

Mr and Mrs I W Craft spent Sunday away from home

Mr and Mrs I A Reynolds with a party of Newburgh people went to Billy Sunday's revival meeting one Sunday not long ago

The New York papers and the press generally throughout the United States condemn the espionage bill passed by congress and signed by the president The press in general speak no doubt for the people who should know how the government plans are being carried out but President Wilson seeks to protect the army and naval plans from falling into the hands of the German government or the imperial spies of America The Americans who are accustomed to free circulation of military news it seems like putting the flag over the constitution

Albany Avenue Baptist Church

This evening the missionary pageant Glimpses Along the Kings Highway which was so successfully produced a few weeks ago will be given again at the Albany Avenue Baptist Church Nearly one hundred people will take part and all will be in costume representing the people of Egypt India Burmah China Korea Japan and America No regular price of admission will be charged but a silver offering will be taken

The prayer meeting will be held on Thursday evening at 7 30 o clock

The Boy Scouts will meet on Friday evening at 7 15 o clock

The pastor the Rev A S Cole is now preaching a series of Sunday evening sermons on some of the prophets and their messages for our own day Last Sunday evening the sermon was on "Micah the Prophet Who Had a Vision of Peace in a Time of War" Next Sunday the topic will be Zephaniah the Prophet who Saw the Hand of God in a time of Calamity On later Sunday evenings the sermons will be on the following topic (1) "Nahum the Prophet Who Foretold the Fall of Military Despotism (2) Habakkuk, the Prophet Whose Message Has Made History." (3) "Obadiah, the Prophet of Hate."

ON THE DIAMOND.

Games Played Yesterday in the Big Leagues.

National League

Yesterday's Results

St Louis, 5, New York 4 (10 innings)
Brooklyn 6 Cincinnati 2
Philadelphia 8, Pittsburgh, 2
Chicago, 8, Boston 1

Standing of The Clubs

	W	L	Pct
Chicago	20	9	690
New York	13	7	650
Philadelphia	13	8	619
St Louis	14	10	583
Boston	8	11	421
Cincinnati	12	17	414
Pittsburgh	8	18	308
Brooklyn	6	14	300

American League

Yesterday's Results

New York 7 St Louis 4
Boston 6 Cleveland 5
Washington 11 Detroit 5
Chicago 11 Philadelphia 0

Standing of The Clubs

	W	L	Pct
Boston	16	7	696
New York	14	9	609
Chicago	19	12	100
Cleveland	15	14	517
St Louis	14	14	500
Detroit	10	15	400
Washington	9	19	360
Philadelphia	7	16	304

International League

Yesterday's Results

Newark 7 Montreal 7 (10 innings)
Providence 6 Buffalo 4
Toronto 8 Richmond 6
Rochester 4 Baltimore

Standing of The Clubs

	W	L	Pct
Baltimore	16	7	696
Newark	17	6	685
Providence	13	9	591
Rochester	12	10	545
Toronto	12	11	522
Montreal	8	1	421
Richmond	8	16	333
Buffalo	6	16	273

Games Scheduled Today

National League

St Louis at New York clear
Cincinnati at Brooklyn clear
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia cloudy
Chicago at Boston clear

American League

Washington at Detroit cloudy
Boston at Cleveland clear
Philadelphia at Chicago clear
New York at St Louis clear

International League

Baltimore at Rochester cloudy
Providence at Buffalo clear
Richmond at Toronto cloudy
Newark at Montreal clear

Young Volunteers Win

The Young Volunteers of Room No 9 School No 6 defeated School No 2 by the score of 20 to 8 The line up of the winning team was as follows C Osterhoudt p G Cole c W Haggerty 1f 1 Albrecht 1f F Mooney 3b J Amen f J Rosa 2b H Steeger ss L Norton 1b

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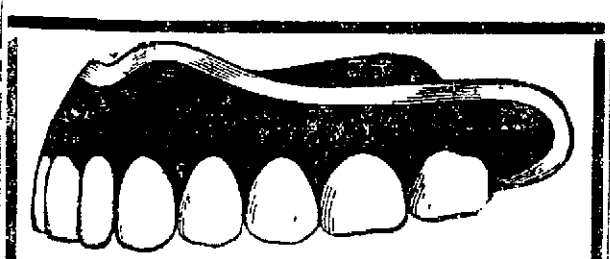

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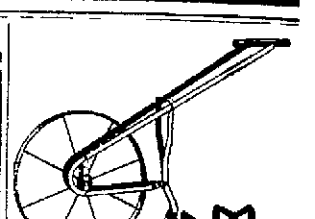

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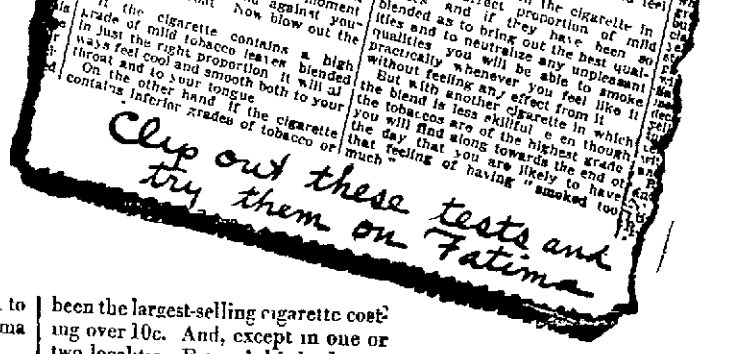

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